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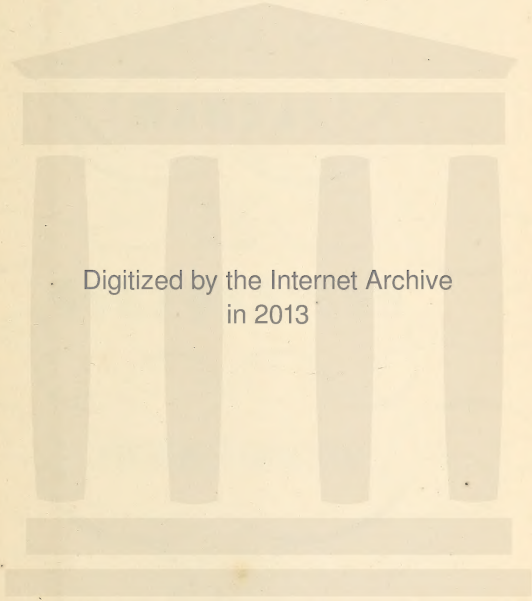

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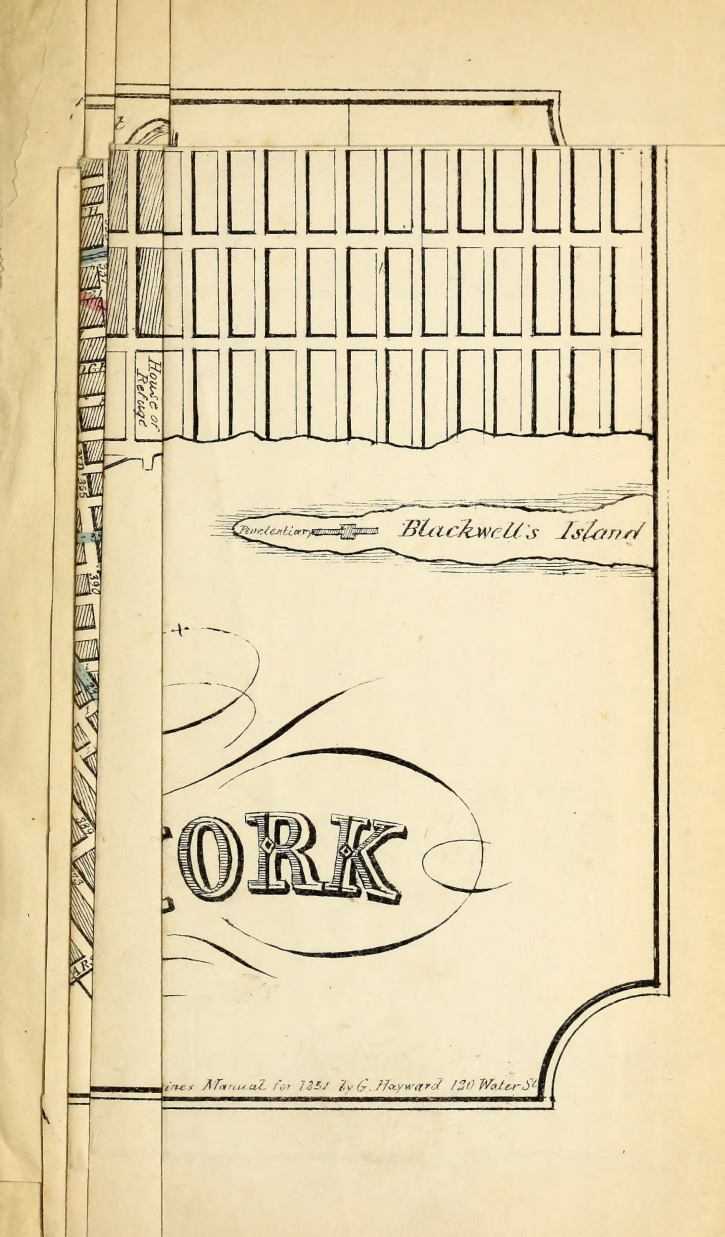
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MAP OF THE CITY of NEW YORK

1851

NORTH RIVER

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HARLEM RIVER

YORKVILLE

HARLEM

Manhattanville

Bloomingdale Road

Kingsbridge Road

Eleventh Avenue

Tenth Avenue

Ninth Avenue

Eighth Avenue

Seventh Avenue

Sixth Avenue

Fifth Avenue

Fourth Avenue

Third Avenue

Second Avenue

First Avenue

Avenue A

Eighth Street

Receiving Reservoir

Manhattan Square

Hamilton Square

Harlem River

Macombs Dam

Hell Gate

Blackwell's Island

Ward's Island

Randel's Island

Fort Washington Pt.

Tubby Hook

Spuyten Duyvil Creek

Kingsbridge

High Bridge

Harlem Bridge

Yorkville Ferry to Astoria

Ferry to Hunters Point

Ferry to Williamsburg

Ferry to Brooklyn

Ferry to Hoboken

Ferry to Jersey City

Ferry to Weehawken

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1st Ward	4.514
2nd	7.632
3rd	4.654
4th	5.475
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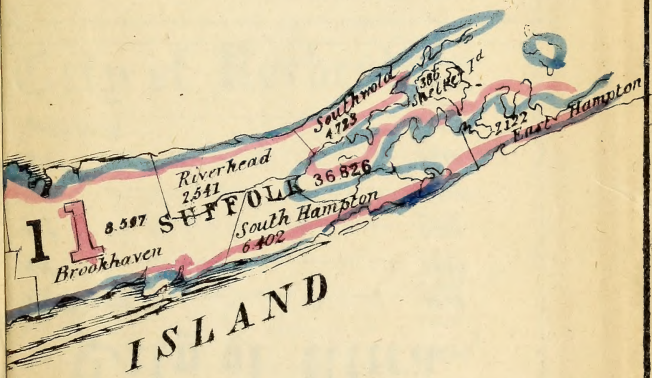

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TOWNS AND COUNTIES
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Also shewing the SENATORIAL & ASSEMBLY Election Districts,
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Assembly do .....

City of Albany.

1st Ward	Population 6 177
2nd	1 062
3rd	1 619
4th	1 758
5th	2 982
6th	3 792
7th	5 250
8th	6 269
9th	6 332
10th	6 640
	50 771

City of Rochester.

1st Ward	3 653
2nd	3 630
3rd	4 491
4th	3 575
5th	3 750
6th	7 142
7th	3 331
8th	2 920
9th	4 696
	36 588

City of Troy.

1st Ward	4 032
2nd	4 284
3rd	2 794
4th	4 054
5th	1 818
6th	3 239
7th	4 923
9th	2 741
	28 385

City of Utica.

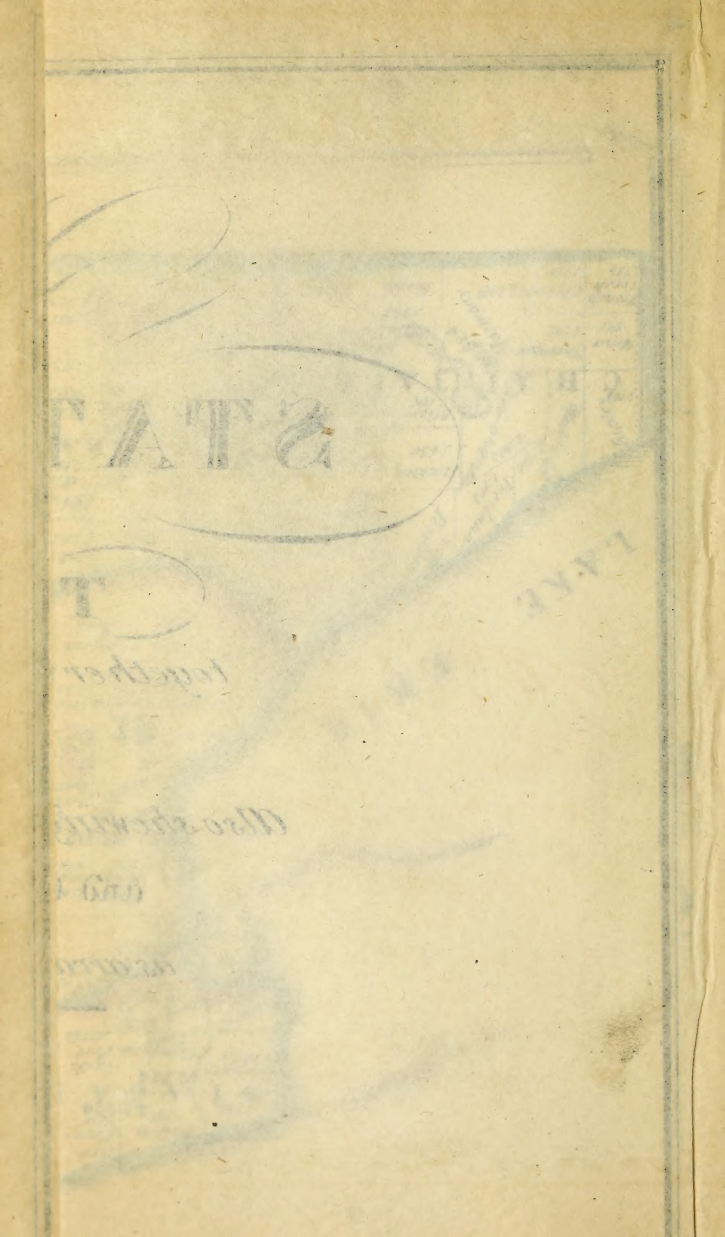
1st Ward	1824
2nd	2856
3rd	2875
4th	4 200
5th	3 111
6th	2 876
	17 742

City of Buffalo.

1st Ward	7 344
2nd	8 530
3rd	5 072
4th	15 712
5th	5 607
	42 264

City of Syracuse.

1st Ward	4 514
2nd	7 632
3rd	4 654
4th	5 475
	22 275



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MORAL MORALS
Republican
Republican
Clerk
&
Assistant
Sergeant
at
Arms
Edmund
Griffin
Daniel
Dodge
Oscar F.
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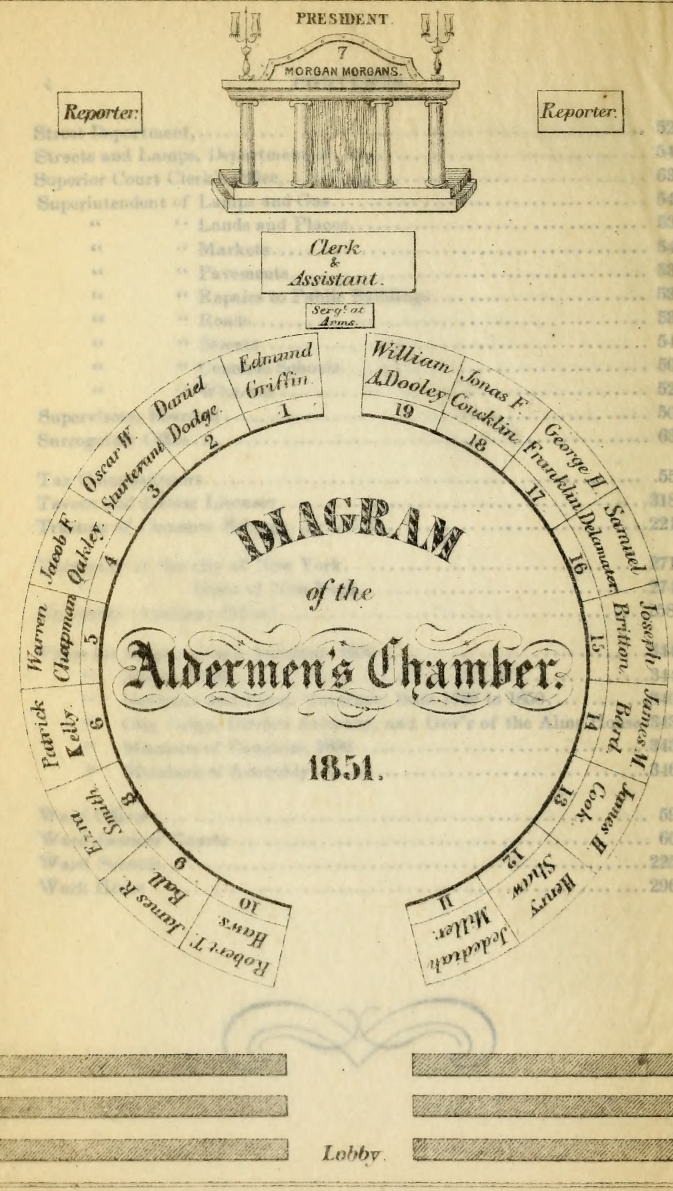
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MORGAN MORGANS.
Reporter.
Reporter.
Clerk & Assistant.
Serg't at Arms.
DIAGRAM
of the
Aldermen's Chamber.
1851.
1 Edmund Griffin
2 Daniel Dodge.
3 Oscar W. Sturtevant
4 Jacob F. Quckler
5 Warren Chapman
6 Patrick Kelly.
8 Ezra Smith.
9 James R. Ball
10 Robert T. Burns
11 Jedediah Miller.
12 Henry Shaw
13 James H. Cook.
14 James M. Beard.
15 Joseph Britton.
16 Samuel Delamater
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18 Jonas F. Conklin
19 William A. Dooley
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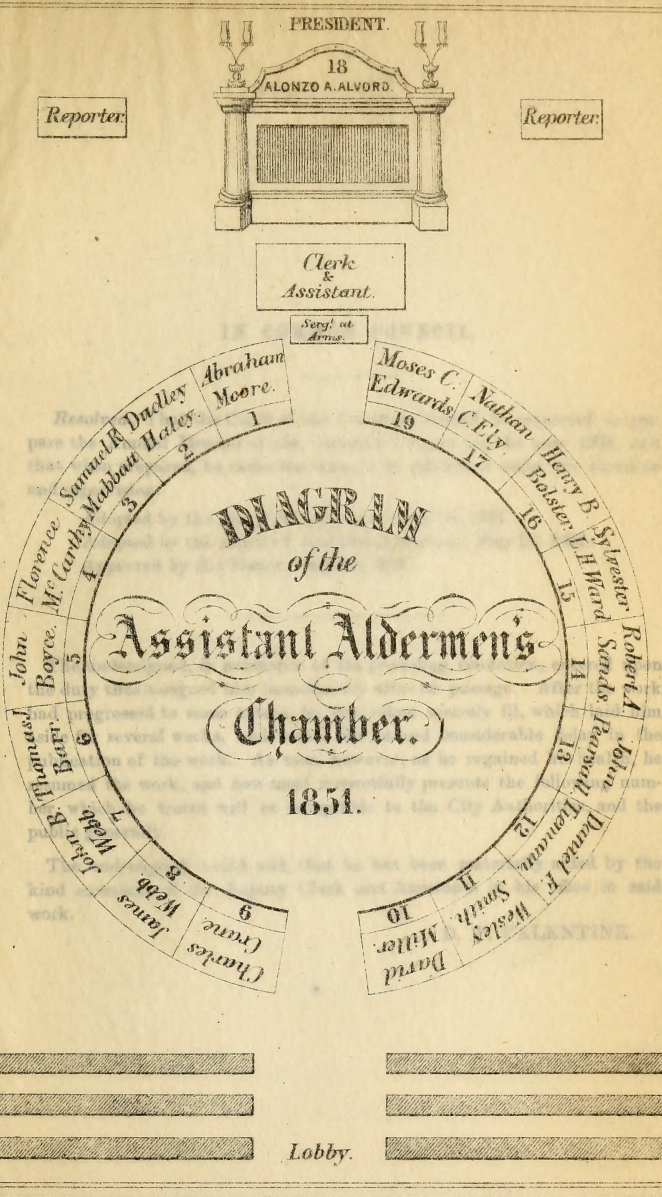
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ALONZO A. ALVORD.
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Reporter.
Clerk & Assistant.
Serg.t at Arms.
Abraham Moore. 1
Dudley Hatch. 2
Samuel R. Mabbatt 3
Florence M.Carthy 4
John Boyce. 5
Thomas J. Barr. 6
John B. Webb 7
James Webb 8
Charles Crane 9
David Miller 10
Wesley Smith 11
Daniel F. Tiemann 12
John Pearsall 13
Robert A. Sands 14
Sylvester L.H Ward 15
Henry B. Bolster 16
Nathan C. Ely. 17
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MANUAL
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Assistant Aldermen's
Chamber.
1851.
Lobby.

IN COMMON COUNCIL.

Resolved, That the Clerk of the Common Council be requested to prepare the Annual Manual of the Common Council for the year 1851, and that when prepared, he cause the same to be published under his direction and supervision.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 22, 1851.
Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen, May 24, 1851.
Approved by the Mayor, May 26, 1851.

The undersigned, in pursuance of the preceding resolution, entered upon the duty thus assigned him immediately after its passage. After the work had progressed to some extent, he was taken severely ill, which laid him aside for several weeks, and which has caused considerable delay in the publication of the work. As soon, however, as he regained his health, he resumed the work, and now most respectfully presents the following number, which he trusts will be acceptable to the City Authorities, and the public generally.

The undersigned would add, that he has been materially aided by the kind exertions of the Deputy Clerk and Assistants in his office in said work.

D. T. VALENTINE.

1st Month, JANUARY. 1851.

BEGINS ON WEDNESDAY,

AND HATH THIRTY-ONE DAYS.

MOON'S PHASES.

	D.	H.	M.		D.	H.	M.
New Moon,	2	5	48 morn.	Full Moon,	17	11	46 morn.
First Quarter,	10	11	25 morn.	Third Quarter,	24	3	21 morn.

D. M.	Days Week	REMARKS.	Sun rises. H. M.	Sun sets. H. M.	High water. H. M.
1	Wed.	Mutiny in Pennsylvania line of the	7 26	4 34	8 6
2	Thus.	army on account of the want of pay	7 25	4 35	8 47
3	Fri.	and clothing, 1781.	7 25	4 35	9 27
4	Sat.	[at Richmond, Va., 1781.	7 25	4 35	10 3
5	Sun.	Devastation committed by Gen. Arnold	7 24	4 36	10 35
6	Mon.	Lafayette sailed for France, 1776.	7 24	4 36	11 10
7	Tues.		7 23	4 37	11 46
8	Wed.		7 23	4 37	morn.
9	Thur.	Connecticut adopted the new Constitu-	7 22	4 38	0 22
10	Fri.	[tion, 1788.	7 21	4 39	1 1
11	Sat.		7 21	4 39	1 44
12	Sun.	[to the then number of States—15.	7 20	4 40	2 37
13	Mon.	Congress increased the stripes and stars	7 19	4 41	3 48
14	Tues.	Congress reconveyed the Battery to the	7 19	4 41	4 57
15	Wed.	[city of New York, 1822.	7 18	4 42	6 6
16	Thur.		7 17	4 43	7 4
17	Fri.	Benjamin Franklin born, 1706.	7 16	4 44	7 55
18	Sat.		7 15	4 45	8 45
19	Sun.		7 15	4 45	9 34
20	Mon.		7 14	4 46	10 22
21	Tues.		7 13	4 47	11 9
22	Wed.	Battle of Frenchtown, (Mich.) 1813.	7 12	4 48	11 56
23	Thur.		7 11	4 49	ev. 44
24	Fri.	Garrison at Georgetown, S. C., surprised	7 10	4 50	1 2
25	Sat.	by Gen. Lee, 1781.	7 9	4 51	2 28
26	Sun.		7 8	4 52	3 34
27	Mon.		7 7	4 53	4 44
28	Tues.		7 6	4 54	6 0
29	Wed.	Albert Gallatin born, 1761.	7 5	4 55	7 5
30	Thur.		7 4	4 56	7 55
31	Fri.	The N. Y. University founded, 1831.	7 3	4 57	8 36

BEGINS ON SATURDAY,

AND HATH TWENTY-EIGHT DAYS.

MOON'S PHASES.

	D.	H.	M.		D.	H.	M.	
New Moon,	1	1	6	morn.	Full Moon,	15	10	32	even.
First Quarter,	9	4	0	morn.	Third Quarter,	22	4	42	even.

D. M.	Days Week	REMARKS.	Sun rises. H. M.	Sun sets. H. M.	High water. H. M.
1	Sat.	Naval engagement between the Consti-	7 2	4 58	9 13
2	Sun.	[tution and La Vengence, 1800.	7 0	5 0	9 49
3	Mon.		6 59	5 1	10 19
4	Tues.		6 58	5 2	10 50
5	Wed.	Massachusetts adopted new Con'n, 1788.	6 57	5 3	11 22
6	Thur.	Treaty with France concluded, 1778.	6 56	5 4	11 54
7	Fri.	Congress refused to treat with English	6 55	5 5	morn.
8	Sat.	[Commissioners, 1778.	6 53	5 7	0 27
9	Sun.	Commercial intercourse with France	6 52	5 8	1 5
10	Mon.	[suspended, 1799.	6 51	5 9	1 50
11	Tues.	Treaty of Peace arrived, 1815.	6 50	5 10	2 49
12	Wed.		6 49	5 11	4 5
13	Thur.	First salute paid to the American Flag,	6 47	5 13	5 26
14	Fri.	[1778.	6 46	5 14	6 42
15	Sat.		6 45	5 15	7 41
16	Sun.		6 44	5 16	8 31
17	Mon.	Treaty of Peace ratified, 1815.	6 42	5 18	9 21
18	Tues.		6 41	5 19	10 7
19	Wed.		6 40	5 20	10 52
20	Thur.		6 38	5 22	11 36
21	Fri.		6 37	5 23	ev. 17
22	Sat.	Delaware signed the confederation, 1779.	6 36	5 24	1 1
23	Sun.	[to France, 1785.	6 34	5 26	1 48
24	Mon.	Thos. Jefferson appointed Ambassador	6 33	5 27	2 47
25	Tues.	Denmark acknowledged the independ-	6 32	5 28	4 3
26	Wed	[ence of the U. S., 1783.	6 30	5 30	5 25
27	Thur.		6 29	5 31	6 43
28	Fri.		6 28	5 32	7 38

3d Month, MARCH. 1851.

BEGINS ON SATURDAY,

AND HATH THIRTY-ONE DAYS.

MOON'S PHASES.

	D.	H.	M.		D.	H.	M.
New Moon,	2	8	19 even.	Full Moon,	17	8	23 morn.
First Quarter,	10	4	49 even.	Third Quarter,	24	8	30 morn.

D. M.	Days Week	REMARKS.	Sun rises. H. M.	Sun sets. H. M.	High water. H. M.
1	Sat.		6 26	5 34	8 18
2	Sun.	The importation of slaves prohibited	6 25	5 35	8 54
3	Mon.	[into the U. S. after, 1807.	6 24	5 36	9 26
4	Tues.	Penn'a named and charter granted, 1681.	6 22	5 38	9 56
5	Wed.	James Madison born, 1751.	6 21	5 39	10 24
6	Thur.		6 20	5 40	10 55
7	Fri.	U. S. frigate Randolph, 32 guns, blown	6 18	5 42	11 26
8	Sat.	[up, 1778.	6 17	5 43	11 57
9	Sun.	Dreadful Fire in New York, 1741.	6 16	5 44	morn.
10	Mon.		6 14	5 46	0 35
11	Tues.		6 13	5 47	1 18
12	Wed.		6 12	5 48	2 13
13	Thur.		6 10	5 50	3 32
14	Fri.		6 9	5 51	5 1
15	Sat.	Andrew Jackson born, 1767. Grand	6 8	5 52	6 24
16	Sun.	[opening of Erie canal, 1822.	6 6	5 54	7 27
17	Mon.		6 5	5 55	8 17
18	Tues.		6 3	5 57	9 3
19	Wed.		6 2	5 58	9 47
20	Thur.		6 1	5 59	10 28
21	Fri.		5 59	6 1	11 9
22	Sat.	The slave trade from the U. S. prohib-	5 58	6 2	11 49
23	Sun.	[ited by Congress, 1794.	5 57	6 3	ev. 29
24	Mon.		5 55	6 5	2 14
25	Tues.		5 54	6 6	2 8
26	Wed.		5 53	6 7	3 25
27	Thur.		5 51	6 9	4 52
28	Fri.		5 50	6 10	6 10
29	Sat.		5 49	6 11	7 10
30	Sun.	Congress authorizes the building of six	5 47	6 13	7 51
31	Mon.	[frigates, 1794.	5 46	6 14	8 24

BEGINS ON TUESDAY,

AND HATH THIRTY DAYS.

MOON'S PHASES.

	D.	H.	M.			D.	H.	M.	
New Moon,	1	1	37	even.	Full Moon,	15	5	6	even.
First Quarter,	9	2	39	morn.	Third Quarter,	23	2	2	morn.

D. M.	Days Week	REMARKS.	Sun rises. H. M.	Sun sets. H. M.	High water. H. M.
1	Tues.	*The news Letter*, first pap. pt'd in 1704.	5 45	6 15	8 55
2	Wed.	James Monroe born, 1759.	5 43	6 17	9 25
3	Thur.	N. Y. Safety Fund act passed 1829.	5 42	6 18	9 55
4	Fri.	La Fayette left France for America in [1777.	5 41	6 19	10 27
5	Sat.		5 39	6 21	10 59
6	Sun.		5 38	6 22	11 34
7	Mon.		5 37	6 23	morn.
8	Tues.	Duel between Randolph and Clay, 1826.	5 35	6 25	0 12
9	Wed.	Battle of Lexington, 1775.	5 34	6 26	0 56
10	Thur.	La Fayette Theatre destroyed by fire, [1829.	5 33	6 27	1 57
11	Fri.		5 31	6 29	3 16
12	Sat.		5 30	6 30	4 47
13	Sun.		5 29	6 31	6 8
14	Mon.		5 27	6 33	7 9
15	Tues.		5 26	6 34	7 37
16	Wed.		5 25	6 35	8 39
17	Thur.	Franklin died, 1790.	5 24	6 36	9 23
18	Fri.	[U. S. 1782.	5 22	6 38	0 4
19	Sat.	Holland acknowl'd the Independence of	5 21	6 39	10 43
20	Sun.		5 21	6 40	11 22
21	Mon.	[chartered, 1831.	5 19	6 41	ev. 4
22	Tues.	The New York Institution for the Blind	5 17	6 43	0 46
23	Wed.	British sloop-of-war Drake captured by	5 16	6 44	1 37
24	Thur.	[Paul Jones, 1778.	5 15	6 45	2 46
25	Fri.		5 14	6 46	4 8
26	Sat.	Act passed for the abolishment of im-	5 12	6 48	5 23
27	Sun.	[prisonment for debt in N. Y.	5 11	6 49	6 28
28	Mon.	Exchange buildings destroyed by fire in	5 10	6 50	7 11
29	Tues.	[New York, 1826.	5 9	6 51	7 48
30	Wed.		5 8	6 52	8 23

5th Month, MAY. 1851.

BEGINS ON THURSDAY,

AND HATH THIRTY-ONE DAYS.

MOON'S PHASES.

	D.	H.	M.		D.	H.	M.
New Moon,	1	4	6 morn.	Third Quarter,	22	8	9 even.
First Quarter,	8	8	38 morn.	New Moon,	30	3	51 even.
Full Moon,	15	3	9 morn.				

D. M.	Days Week.	REMARKS.	Sun rises. H. M.	Sun sets. H. M.	High water. H. M.
1	Thur.	Hudson embarked on his voyage of dis-	5 7	6 53	8 54
2	Fri.	[covery, 1607.	5 5	6 55	9 29
3	Sat.		5 4	6 56	10 1
4	Sun.		5 3	6 57	10 37
5	Mon.	Amer. Ship Protection captured British	5 2	6 58	11 14
6	Tues.	[ships Roebuck and Medea, 1781.	5 1	6 59	11 57
7	Wed.		5 0	7 0	morn.
8	Thur.	Sir H. Clinton arrived at Phila., 1778.	4 59	7 1	0 47
9	Fri.		4 58	7 2	1 49
10	Sat.	Battle of Ticonderoga, 1775.	4 57	7 3	3 8
11	Sun.		4 56	7 4	4 30
12	Mon.	Society of Cincinnati founded, 1783.	4 55	7 5	5 45
13	Tues.	British aband. siege of Charleston, 1779.	4 54	7 6	6 42
14	Wed.	Camden evacuated by the British, 1781.	4 53	7 7	7 31
15	Thur.		4 52	7 8	8 17
16	Fri.	John Jay, first Chief Justice, died, 1829.	4 51	7 9	9 2
17	Sat.	Foundation Bowery Theatre laid, 1826.	4 50	7 10	9 41
18	Sun.		4 49	7 11	10 21
19	Mon,	Great Fire in Chatham st. N Y., 1811.	4 48	7 12	11 1
20	Tues.	Art's of Confed. agd. on bet. Col's, 1775.	4 47	7 13	11 41
21	Wed.	British surrender Silver Bluff, 1781.	4 46	7 14	ev. 22
22	Thur.	Gen. Greene besieg'd the Brit. port, 1781.	4 46	7 14	1 12
23	Fri.	S. Carolina adopted the new Constitu-	4 45	7 15	2 6
24	Sat.	[tion, 1788.	4 44	7 16	3 14
25	Sun.	General Convention met at Phila., 1787.	4 43	7 17	4 26
26	Mon.	Bowery Theatre destroyed by fire, 1828.	4 42	7 18	5 27
27	Tues.		4 42	7 18	6 23
28	Wed.	American ship Alliance captured British	4 41	7 19	7 6
29	Thur.	[ships Atalanta and Trepassey, 1781,	4 40	7 20	7 45
30	Fri.		4 40	7 20	8 23
31	Sat.		4 30	7 21	9 3

6th Month, JUNE. 1851.

BEGINS ON SUNDAY,

AND HATH THIRTY DAYS.

MOON'S PHASES.

	D.	H.	M.		D.	H.	M.
First Quarter,	6	1	32 even.	Third Quarter,	21	1	39 even.
Full Moon,	13	1	48 even.	New Moon,	29	1	29 morn.

D. M.	Days Week.	REMARKS.	Sun rises. H. M.	Sun sets. H. M.	High water. H. M.
1	Sun.	Kentucky made a state and admitted in-	4 33	7 22	9 40
2	Mon.	[to the Union, 1792.	4 33	7 22	10 21
3	Tues.		4 33	7 23	11 4
4	Wed.	Steam frigate Fulton blown up, 1829.	4 33	7 23	11 49
5	Thur.	[1775. Patk. Henry died, 1799.	4 33	7 24	morn.
6	Fri.	Washington appointed Com'r-in-chief,	4 32	7 24	0 45
7	Sat.	Elizabethtown, N. J., taken by the Bri-	4 32	7 25	1 44
8	Sun.	[tish, 1780.	4 32	7 25	2 54
9	Mon		4 32	7 25	4 7
10	Tues.		4 32	7 26	5 14
11	Wed.	Daniel D. Tompkins died, 1825.	4 32	7 26	6 16
12	Thur.	New York Incorporated, 1665.	4 32	7 26	7 10
13	Fri.		4 32	7 27	7 59
14	Sat.	The Flag of the U. S. adopted by Con-	4 33	7 27	8 43
15	Sun.	[gress, 1777.	4 33	7 27	9 26
16	Mon.		4 33	7 27	10 5
17	Tues.	Battle of Bunker Hill, 1775.	4 33	7 27	10 43
18	Wed.	War declared against G't Britain, 1812.	4 33	7 28	11 22
19	Thur.	[Stone Ferry, 1779.	4 34	7 28	ev. 1
20	Fri.	Gen. Lincoln foiled in his attack on	4 34	7 28	0 43
21	Sat.	New Hampshire adopted the new Con-	4 34	7 28	1 28
22	Sun.	[stitution, 1788.	4 35	7 28	2 20
23	Mon.		4 35	7 28	3 23
24	Tues.	Gen. Wayne repelled an assault of Brit-	4 35	7 28	4 24
25	Wed.	[tish and Indians, 1782.	4 36	7 28	5 23
26	Thur.		4 36	7 27	6 22
27	Fri.		4 37	7 27	7 11
28	Sat.	Battle of Monmouth, 1778.	4 37	7 27	7 55
29	Sun.	[appointed Com'r-in-chief, 1798.	4 38	7 27	8 49
30	Mon.	Army increased and Geo. Washington	4 38	7 27	9 26

7th Month, JULY. 1851.

BEGINS ON TUESDAY,

AND HATH THIRTY-ONE DAYS.

MOON'S PHASES.

	D.	H.	M.		D.	H.	M.
First Quarter,	5	6	12 even.	Third Quarter,	21	5	43 morn.
Full Moon,	13	2	18 morn.	New Moon,	28	9	44 morn.

D. M.	Days Week	REMARKS.	Sun rises. H. M.	Sun sets. H. M.	High water. H. M.
1	Tues.		4 34	7 26	10 11
2	Wed.		4 34	7 26	10 56
3	Thur.	Wyoming destroyed, 1778.	4 34	7 26	11 44
4	Fri.	The 'Blessing of the Bay' launched, the	4 35	7 25	morn.
5	Sat.	[first vessel built in Mass., 1631.	4 35	7 25	0 36
6	Sun.	[1778	4 35	7 25	1 32
7	Mon.	Treaty with France annulled by Cong.	4 36	7 24	2 33
8	Tues.	British defeat at Ticonderoga, 1758.	4 36	7 24	3 39
9	Wed.	Braddock defeated, 1754.	4 37	7 23	4 44
10	Thur.		4 37	7 23	5 51
11	Fri.	Fairfield, Ct. burnt by Americans, 1779.	4 38	7 22	6 50
12	Sat.	Alexander Hamilton died, 1804.	4 39	7 21	7 42
13	Sun.	Norwalk, Ct. burnt by British, 1779.	4 39	7 21	8 30
14	Mon.	Grand Canal commenced, 1815.	4 40	7 20	9 12
15	Tues.	Stoney Point taken by Americans, 1779	4 40	7 20	9 51
16	Wed.	Contract with France for loan of money,	4 41	7 19	10 27
17	Thur.	[1782.	4 42	7 18	11 1
18	Fri.		4 42	7 18	11 36
19	Sat.	Paulus Hook taken by Americans, 1779.	4 43	7 17	ev. 13
20	Sun.		4 44	7 16	0 50
21	Mon.		4 45	7 15	1 33
22	Tues.	The Minisink settlement, N. Y., des-	4 46	7 14	2 22
23	Wed.	[troyed by Brandt, 1778.	4 46	7 14	3 25
24	Thur.	N. Carolina signed the Confeder'n, 1778.	4 47	7 13	4 30
25	Fri.		4 48	7 12	5 36
26	Sat.	New York adopted the new Constitution,	4 49	7 11	6 40
27	Sun.	[1788.	4 50	7 10	7 33
28	Mon.		4 51	7 9	8 25
29	Tues.		4 52	7 8	9 13
30	Wed.		4 53	7 7	9 59
31	Thur.		4 54	7 6	10 43

8th Month, AUGUST. 1851.

BEGINS ON FRIDAY,

AND HATH THIRTY-ONE DAYS.

MOON'S PHASES.

	D.	H.	M.		D.	H.	M.
First Quarer,	4	0	11 morn.	Third Quarter,	19	8	2 even.
Full Moon,	11	4	47 even.	New Moon,	26	5	24 even.

D. M.	Days Week	REMARKS.	Sun rises H. M.	Sun sets. H. M.	High water. H. M.
1	Fri.		4 55	7 5	11 31
2	Sat.		4 56	7 4	morn.
3	Sun.		4 57	7 3	0 18
4	Mon.	Treaty bet. U. S. and the Crows, 1816.	4 58	7 2	1 9
5	Tues.	[123,706, 1820.	4 59	7 1	2 1
6	Wed.	Census taken—population of New York	5 0	7 0	3 0
7	Thur.	Great Fire in New York 300 houses des-	5 1	6 59	4 13
8	Fri.	[troyed, 1778.	5 2	6 58	5 27
9	Sat.		5 3	6 57	6 39
10	Sun.	Treaty bet. the U. S. and Osages, 1816.	5 4	6 56	7 34
11	Mon.		5 5	6 55	8 40
12	Tues.		5 6	6 54	8 57
13	Wed.		5 8	6 52	9 34
14	Thur.		5 9	6 51	10 7
15	Fri.	[York, 1824.	5 10	6 50	10 36
16	Sat.	La Fayette landed at the Battery in N.	5 11	6 49	11 9
17	Sun.	[steam, 1807.	5 12	6 48	11 41
18	Mon.	Fulton's first voyage to Albany, by	5 13	6 47	ev. 12
19	Tues.	Treaty between the U. States and the	5 15	6 45	0 52
20	Wed.	[Sioux, 1815.	5 16	6 44	1 33
21	Thur.		5 17	6 43	2 28
22	Fri.		5 18	6 42	3 42
23	Sat.		5 20	6 40	5 0
24	Sun.		5 21	6 39	6 16
25	Mon.		5 22	6 38	7 15
26	Tues.		5 23	6 37	8 10
27	Wed.		5 25	6 35	8 57
28	Thur.		5 26	6 34	9 41
29	Fri.	Action at Quaker Hill, R. I., 1778.	5 27	6 33	10 26
30	Sat.		5 28	6 32	11 11
31	Sun.		5 30	6 30	11 54

9th Month, SEPTEMBER. 1851.

BEGINS ON MONDAY,

AND HATH THIRTY DAYS.

MOON'S PHASES.

	D.	H.	M.		D.	H.	M.
First Quarter,	2	8	57 morn.	Third Quarter,	18	8	33 morn.
Full Moon,	10	8	48 morn.	New Moon,	25	1	16 morn.

D. M.	Days Week	REMARKS.	Sun rises. H. M.	Sun sets. H. M.	High water. H. M.
1	Mon.	N. Y. Banks suspended specie payments,	5 31	6 29	morn.
2	Tues.	[1814.	5 32	6 28	0 38
3	Wed.	Definite treaty of Peace signed between	5 34	6 26	1 27
4	Thur.	[the U. S. and G. B., 1783.	5 35	6 25	2 24
5	Fri.		5 36	6 24	3 41
6	Sat.	La Fayette born, 1755.	5 37	6 23	5 4
7	Sun.	La Fayette returned to France, 1825.	5 39	6 21	6 21
8	Mon.	Battle of Lake George, 1754	5 40	6 20	7 18
9	Tues.		5 41	6 19	8 1
10	Wed.		5 43	6 17	8 39
11	Thur.	Abduction to Wm. Morgan, 1826.	5 44	6 16	9 10
12	Fri.		5 45	6 15	9 40
13	Sat.	[1778.	5 47	6 13	10 9
14	Sun.	Franklin appn'td Ambassador to France,	5 48	6 12	10 40
15	Mon.	Severe earthquake in Charleston, S. C.	5 49	6 11	11 8
16	Tues.	[1753.	5 51	6 9	11 39
17	Wed.		5 52	6 8	ev. 15
18	Thur.	[and Levant, 1778.	5 53	6 7	0 56
19	Fri.	Naval action between the Gen. Hancock	5 55	6 5	1 49
20	Sat.	Treaty bet. U. S. and Pottawatamies.	5 56	6 4	3 5
21	Sun.	Gen. Arnold held a conference with Maj.	5 57	6 3	4 35
22	Mon.	[Andre, 1780.	5 59	6 1	6 0
23	Tues.	Naval engagement bet. the Bon Homme	6 0	6 0	7 0
24	Wed.	[and Seraphis, 1779.	6 1	5 59	7 52
25	Thur.		6 3	5 57	8 36
26	Fri.	Treaty bet. the U. S. and Ottoes, 1814.	6 4	5 56	9 20
27	Sat.	J. Jay appointed Ambassador to Spain,	6 5	5 55	10 4
28	Sun.	[1779.	6 7	5 53	10 46
29	Mon.		6 8	5 52	11 27
30	Tues.	Treaty be. the U.S. and Pawnees, 1814.	6 9	5 51	morn.

10th Month, OCTOBER. 1851.

BEGINS ON WEDNESDAY,

AND HATH THIRTY-ONE DAYS.

MOON'S PHASES.

	D.	H.	M.		D.	H.	M.	
First Quarter,	1	9	34	even.	New Moon,	24	10	14 morn.
Full Moon,	10	1	37	morn.	First Quarter,	31	2	22 even.
Third Quarter,	17	7	17	even.				

D. M.	Days Week	REMARKS.	Sun rises H. M.	Sun sets. H. M.	High water. H. M.
1	Wed.		6 11	5 49	0 8
2	Thur.	Major Andre hung at Tappan, 1780.	6 12	5 48	0 55
3	Fri.	Great fire in Houston st., N. Y., 1830.	6 13	5 47	1 53
4	Sat.		6 15	5 45	3 11
5	Sun.		6 16	5 44	4 37
6	Mon.		6 17	5 43	5 56
7	Tues.	Battle of King's Mountains, S. C., 1780.	6 19	5 41	6 55
8	Wed.	First Canal boat which entered the Hud-	6 20	5 40	7 34
9	Thur.	[son, 1823.	6 21	5 39	8 10
10	Fri.		6 23	5 37	8 38
11	Sat.		6 24	5 36	9 8
12	Sun.		6 25	5 35	9 38
13	Mon.		6 27	5 33	10 9
14	Tues.		6 28	5 32	10 40
15	Wed.	Kingston burnt by the British, 1777.	6 29	5 31	11 12
16	Thur.	Burgoyne surrendered at Saratoga, 1777.	6 31	5 29	11 48
17	Fri.		6 32	5 28	ev. 32
18	Sat.		6 33	5 27	1 27
19	Sun.	Surrender of Lord Cornwallis, 1781.	6 35	5 25	2 43
20	Mon.		6 36	5 24	4 16
21	Tues	Imported into N. Y. city the iron railing	6 37	5 23	5 41
22	Wed.	which encloses the Park and C. Hall	6 39	5 21	6 40
23	Thur.	costing $96 53 cents per ton, 1821.	6 40	5 20	7 29
24	Fri.		6 41	5 19	8 13
25	Sat.		6 42	5 18	8 57
26	Sun.	Grand Canal completed, 1825.	6 44	5 16	9 41
27	Mon.		6 46	5 15	10 21
28	Tues.		6 45	5 14	11 2
29	Wed.		6 47	5 13	11 44
30	Thur.	[oli, 1803.	6 49	5 11	morn.
31	Fri.	U. S. frigate Philadelphia lost at Trip-	6 50	5 10	0 29

11th Month, NOVEMBER. **1851.**

BEGINS ON SATURDAY,

AND HATH THIRTY DAYS.

MOON'S PHASES.

	D.	H.	M.		D.	H.	M.	
Full Moon,	8	6	25	even.	New Moon,	22	9	10 even.
Third Quarter,	16	4	20	morn.	First Quarter,	30	10	31 morn.

D. M.	Days Week	REMARKS.	Sun rises. H. M.	Sun sets. H. M.	High water. H. M.
1	Sat.	French corvette tak'n by U.S. fri. Boston	6 51	5 9	1 22
2	Sun.		6 52	5 8	2 31
3	Mon.	Dominica discover'd by Columbus, 1493.	6 53	5 7	3 56
4	Tues.	1st prov. assembly held in Penn., 1682.	6 55	5 5	5 14
5	Wed.		6 56	5 4	6 18
6	Thur.	Gr't sea serpent seen off Milford, Ct. 1817	6 57	5 3	7 0
7	Fri.	Treat. bet. U. S. and the Shawnees, 1825.	6 58	5 2	7 35
8	Sat.	Brig Juno upset at sea, 32 perish'd, 1816.	6 59	5 1	8 8
9	Sun.		7 0	5 0	8 39
10	Mon.	Des. fire at Boston, 50 build's des'd, 1825.	7 1	4 59	9 13
11	Tues.	Gen. Mina exe. by ord. of Apodaca, 1817.	7 3	4 57	9 45
12	Wed.	Montreal sur. to Gen. Montgomery, 1775	7 4	4 56	10 17
13	Thur.	Conv. at London, $1,204,960, pd U. S. 1826	7 5	4 55	10 52
14	Fri.	Great fire at Buffalo, loss $150,000, 1832.	7 6	4 54	11 33
15	Sat.		7 7	4 53	ev. 21
16	Sun.	L. Dunmore pro. fre. to sl. to join Br, 1775	7 8	4 52	1 17
17	Mon.	Great fire at Schenectady, 1819.	7 9	4 51	2 27
18	Tues.	Great earthquake in New England, 1754.	7 10	4 50	3 54
19	Wed.	Meet. to pay tribute to Sir W. Scott, 1832	7 11	4 49	5 12
20	Thur.	Trinity ch., in New York, burnt, 1776.	7 12	4 48	6 14
21	Fri.	Great fire at St. John's, N. F., 1817.	7 13	4 47	7 5
22	Sat.	Morellos, the Mexican pat., execu., 1815.	7 13	4 47	7 53
23	Sun.		7 14	4 46	8 38
24	Mon.		7 15	4 45	9 20
25	Tues.	Washington mon., at Baltimore, compl'd	7 16	4 44	10 1
26	Wed.	Theatre at Richmond, Va., burnt, 1811.	7 17	4 43	10 43
27	Thur.		7 18	4 42	11 25
28	Fri.	Deane recalled and Adams sent to France,	7 18	4 42	morn.
29	Sat.	[1779.	7 19	4 41	0 8
30	Sun.	Cong. appoint. to exam. U S. bank, 1818.	7 20	4 40	0 55

12th Month, DECEMBER, 1851.

BEGINS ON MONDAY,

AND HATH THIRTY-ONE DAYS.

MOON'S PHASES.

	D.	H.	M.		D.	H.	M.
Full Moon,	8	10	34 morn.	New Moon,	22	10	38 morn.
Third Quarter,	15	0	30 even.	First Quarter,	30	8	19 morn.

D. M.	Days Week	REMARKS.	Sun rises. H. M.	Sun sets. H. M.	High water. H. M.
1	Mon.		7 21	4 39	1 49
2	Tues.		7 21	4 39	2 55
3	Wed.	Illinois admitted into the Union, 1818.	7 22	4 38	4 9
4	Thus.		7 22	4 38	5 16
5	Fri.	Treaty bet. U.S. and Cent. Ameri , 1825.	7 23	4 37	6 11
6	Sat.	R. Island possessed by the British, 1776.	7 23	4 37	6 56
7	Sun.		7 24	4 36	7 33
8	Mon.	British defe'd at Great Ridge, Va., 1775.	7 24	4 36	8 11
9	Tues.	De Forest refused as Consul of S. A. 1818.	7 25	4 35	8 49
10	Wed.	Mississippi admitted into the Union, 1817.	7 25	4 35	9 26
11	Thur.	Intercourse with Amer. col. prohib., 1775	7 26	4 34	10 3
12	Fri.	Gen. Lee surprised and captured, 1776.	7 26	4 34	10 44
13	Sat.	Congress passed resolut. to build 13 frigts	7 26	4 34	11 26
14	Sun.	Alabama admitted into the Union, 1819.	7 27	4 33	ev. 5
15	Mon.		7 27	4 33	1 11
16	Tues.	Tea destroyed in Boston, 1773.	7 27	4 33	2 13
17	Wed.	Boliver the liberator of S. Ame. d'd, 1830	7 27	4 33	3 26
18	Thur.	N. Carolina formed a Constitution, 1776.	7 27	4 33	4 36
19	Fri.	Kean driven from the stage, Boston, 1825	7 28	4 32	5 46
20	Sat.	Proclamation of the Gov. of S. C. to dis-	7 28	4 32	6 42
21	Sun.	[regard the Presi. proclamation, 1832.	7 28	4 32	7 33
22	Mon.	Treaty with Algiers concluded, 1816.	2 28	4 32	8 23
23	Tues.	Fire at Boston, court-house and records	7 28	4 32	9 8
24	Wed.	[destroyed, 1747.	7 28	4 32	9 49
25	Thur.		7 28	4 33	10 30
26	Fri.	Steph. Girard died, leaving $10,000,000	7 27	4 33	11 9
27	Sat.	[for charitable purposes, 1831.	7 27	4 33	11 47
28	Sun.	Gen. James Wilkinson died, 1825.	7 27	4 33	morn.
29	Mon.	Fire at N. Y., gove'nt house des'd, 1773.	7 27	4 33	0 28
30	Tues.	Congress resol'd send com. to Spain, 1776	7 27	4 33	1 10
31	Wed.	At. upon Quebec, und. Montgomery, 1775	7 27	4 33	1 57

AN ACT

TO

AMEND THE CHARTER

OF THE

CITY OF NEW YORK.

PASSED APRIL 7, 1830.—CH. 122.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly do enact as follows:

1. The legislative power of the Corporation of the city of New York, shall be vested in a Board of Aldermen and a Board of Assistants, who together shall form the Common Council of the city.

2. Each ward of the city shall be entitled to elect one person to be denominated the Alderman of the Ward, and the persons so chosen, together shall form the Board of Aldermen; and each ward shall also be entitled elect one person, to be denominated an Assistant Alderman; and the persons so chosen, together shall form the Board of Assistants.

3. The Aldermen and Assistant Aldermen shall be chosen for one year; and no person shall be eligible to either office, who shall not, at the time of his election, be a resident of the ward for which he is chosen.

4. The annual election for charter officers shall commence on the second Tuesday in April, and the officers elected shall be sworn into office on the second Tuesday in May thereafter; and all the provisions of law now in force in regard to the notification, duration, and conduct of elections for Members of Assembly, and in regard to the appointment, powers, and duties of the inspectors, holding the same, shall apply to the annual election of charter officers.

5. The first election for charter officers, after the passage of this law, shall take place on the second Tuesday in April, one thousand eight-hundred and thirty-one; and all those persons who shall have been elected under the former laws regulating the election of charter officers, and shall be in office at the time of the passage of this law, shall continue in office until the officers elected under this law shall be entitled to be sworn into office.

6. The Board of Aldermen shall have power to direct a special election to be held, to supply the place of an Alderman whose seat shall become vacant by death, removal from the city, resignation, or otherwise; and the Board of Assistants shall also have power to direct a special election to supply any vacancy that may occur in the Board of Assistants; and in both cases, the person elected to supply the vacancy shall hold his seat only for the residue of the term of office of his immediate predecessor.

7. The Boards shall meet in separate chambers, and a majority of each shall be a quorum to do business. Each Board shall appoint a President from its own body, and shall also choose its Clerk and other officers, determine the rules of its own proceedings, and be the judge of the qualifications of its own members. Each Board shall keep a journal of its proceedings, and the doors of each shall be kept open, except when the public welfare shall require secrecy; and all resolutions and reports of Committees which shall recommend any specific improvement involving the appropriation of public moneys, or taxing or assessing the citizens of said city, shall be published immediately after the adjournment of the Board, under the authority of the Common Council, in all the newspapers employed by the Corporation; and whenever a vote is taken in relation thereto, the ayes and noes shall be called and published in the same manner.

8. Each Board shall have the authority to compel the attendance of absent members; to punish its members for disorderly behavior, and to expel a member with the concurrence of two-thirds of the members elected to the Board; and the members so expelled, shall, by such expulsion, forfeit all his right and powers as an Alderman or Assistant Alderman.

9. The stated and occasional meetings of each Board of the Common Council, shall be regulated by its own ordinances; and both Boards may meet on the same or on different days, as they may severally judge expedient.

10. Any law, ordinance, or resolution of the Common Council may originate in either Board, and when it shall have passed one Board, may be rejected or amended by the other.

11. No member of either Board shall, during the period for which he was elected, be appointed to, or be competent to hold any office for which the emoluments are paid from the city treasury, or by fees, directed to be paid by any ordinance or act of the Common Council, or be directly or indirectly interested in any contract, the expenses or considerations whereof are to be paid under any ordinance of the Common Council; but this section shall not be construed to deprive any Alderman or Assistant of any emolument or fees which he is entitled to by virtue of his office.

12. Every act, ordinance or resolution, which shall have passed the two Boards of the Common Council, before it shall take effect shall be presented, duly certified, to the Mayor of the city, for his approbation. If he approve, he shall sign it; if not, he shall return it with his objections to the Board in which it originated, within ten days thereafter; or if such Board be not then in session, at its next stated meeting. The Board to which it shall be returned, shall enter the objections at large on their journal, and cause the same to be published in one or more of the public newspapers of the city.

13. The Board to which such act, ordinance, or resolution, has been so returned, shall, after the expiration of not less than ten days thereafter, proceed to reconsider the same. If, after such reconsideration, a majority of

the members elected to the Board shall agree to pass the same, it shall be sent, together with the objections, to the other Board, by which it shall be likewise reconsidered; and if approved by a majority of all the members elected to such Board, it shall take effect as an act or law of the Corporation. In all such cases the votes of both Boards shall be determined by ayes and noes, and the names of the persons voting for and against the passage of the measure reconsidered, shall be entered on the journal of each Board respectively.

14. If the Mayor shall not return any act, ordinance, or resolution so presented to him, within the time above limited for that purpose, it shall take effect in the same manner as if he had signed it.

15. Neither the Mayor nor Recorder of the city of New York shall be a member of the Common Council thereof, after the second Tuesday of May, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one.

16. Whenever there shall be a vacancy in the office of Mayor, and whenever the Mayor shall be absent from the city, or be prevented by sickness, or any other cause, from attending to the duties of his office, the President of the Board of Aldermen shall act as Mayor, and shall possess all the rights and powers of the Mayor, during the continuance of such vacancy, absence, or disability.

17. It shall be the duty of the Mayor—

First. To communicate to the Common Council, at least once a year, and oftener, if he shall deem it expedient, a general statement of the situation and condition of the city, in relation to its government, finances and improvements.

Second. To recommend to the adoption of the Common Council all such measures connected with the police, security, health, cleanliness, and ornament of the city, and the improvement of its government and finances, as he shall deem expedient.

Third. To be vigilant and active in causing the laws and ordinances of the government of the city to be duly executed and enforced.

Fourth. To exercise a constant supervision and control over the conduct and acts of all subordinate officers, and to receive and examine into all such complaints as may be preferred against any of them for violation or neglect of duty, and generally to perform all such duties as may be prescribed to him by the charter and city ordinances, and the laws of this state and the United States.

18. Annual and occasional appropriations shall be made by proper ordinances of the Common Council for every branch and object of city expenditure, nor shall any money be drawn from the city treasury, except the same shall have been previously appropriated to the purposes for which it was drawn.

19. The Common Council shall not have authority to borrow any sums of money whatever on the credit of the Corporation, except in anticipation of the revenue of the year in which such loan shall be made, unless authorized by a special act of the Legislature.

20. It shall be duty of the Common Council to publish, two months before the annual election of charter officers, in each year, for the general information of the citizens of New York, a full and detailed statement of the receipts and expenditures of the Corporation during the year ending on the

first day of the month in which such publication was made; and in every such statement the different sources of city revenue, and the amount received from each; the several appropriations made by the Common Council the objects for which the same were made, and the amount of moneys expended under each; the moneys borrowed on the credit of the Corporation, the authority under which each loan was made, and the terms on which the same was obtained, shall be clearly and particularly specified.

21. The executive business of the Corporation of New York, shall hereafter be performed by distinct departments, which it shall be the duty of the Common Council to organize and appoint for that purpose.

22. It shall be the duty of the Common Council to provide for the accountability of all officers and other persons to whom the receipt or expenditure of the funds of the city shall be intrusted, by requiring from them sufficient security for the performance of their duties or trust, which security shall be annually renewed; but the security first taken shall remain in force until new security shall be given.

23. The Clerk of the Board of Aldermen shall, by virtue of his office, be Clerk of the Common Council, and shall perform all the duties heretofore performed by the Clerk of the Common Council, except such as shall be assigned to the Clerk of the Board of Assistant Aldermen; and it shall be his duty to keep open for inspection, at all reasonable times, the records and minutes of the proceedings of the Common Council, except such as shall be specially ordered otherwise.

24. The division of the Common Council into two Boards shall not take effect until the officers to be elected under this law shall enter on the duties of their office. Each Board shall hold its first meeting, for the purpose of organizing, on the second Tuesday of May in each year, at which time the Mayor or Clerk of the Common Council shall attend, by whom the oath of office shall be administered to the members elected. In the absence of the Mayor and Clerk, such oath may be administered by the Recorder, or First Judge of the city, or by any of the Justices of the Superior Court.

25. None of the provisions of this act, except the eighteenth, nineteenth, twentieth, and twenty-second sections, shall be construed as applying to the Common Council as now constituted.

26. Such parts of the charter of the city of New York, and of the several acts of the Legislature amending the same, as are not inconsistent with the provisions of this law, shall not be construed as repealed, modified, or in any manner affected thereby, but shall continue and remain in full force.

AN ACT

TO

AMEND THE CHARTER

OF

THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

PASSED APRIL 2, 1849, "THREE-FIFTHS BEING PRESENT."

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

§ 1. The legislative power of the Corporation of the city of New York, shall continue to be vested in a Board of Aldermen and a Board of Assistant Aldermen, who, together, shall form the Common Council of the city. The Board of Aldermen shall consist of one Alderman from each ward, who shall be elected by the people of the respective wards for two years. The Board of Assistant Aldermen shall consist of one Assistant Alderman from each ward, who shall be elected in like manner, and shall hold their office for one year.

§ 2. The election for charter officers shall be held on the day of the general state election, when all charter officers eligible by the people shall be chosen, and the officers who shall be elected shall be sworn into office on the first Monday of January thereafter; and the laws of the state regulating elections, shall apply to elections of charter officers; but the Common Council may, by law, extend the time for the canvass of the votes. The Mayor shall hold his office for a period of two years.

§ 3. The Common Council, during the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty, may hold its sessions as often as each Board shall, by resolution, appoint, and thereafter the Common Council shall annually hold only three stated sessions of not exceeding one month each, commencing on the first Monday of January, May and September. The Mayor may convene the Common Council or the Board of Aldermen, only, at any time between the sessions, if, in his judgment, any exigency shall have arisen to render such a proceeding necessary, on the request, in writing, of a majority of the members elected to each Board, specifying the purposes for which such meeting is called; in which case, the action of the Common Council shall be confined to the matters in reference to which it shall have been so convened, or to such other matters as may be submitted by the Mayor for its consideration during such session; and the respective Boards may adjourn from day to day until such business shall be completed.

§ 4. The Boards shall sit in separate chambers, and the doors shall be kept open, except when the public welfare shall require secrecy. A majority of each shall be a quorum to do business, but a smaller number may adjourn from day to day, and may compel the attendance of absent members. Each Board shall appoint a President from its own body; shall choose its Clerk and other officers; determine the rules of its own proceedings; be the judge of the election returns and qualifications of its own members; keep a journal of its proceedings, and have power to direct special elections to fill its own vacancies; to compel the attendance of members; to punish them for disorderly conduct, and expel a member by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected, after five days' notice, and opportunity of being heard has been given to him; but such resolution of expulsion shall be of no effect unless it contain a provision for a special election within two weeks thereafter to supply such vacancy; provided, however, that such special election shall not be ordered unless there be at least two months of the term of the expelled member unexpired. The Clerk of the Board of Aldermen shall, by virtue of his office, be Clerk of the Common Council, and shall perform all the duties heretofore performed by the Clerk of the Common Council, except such as shall be assigned to the Clerk of the Board of Assistant Aldermen; and it shall be his duty to keep open for inspection, at all reasonable times, the records and minutes of the proceedings of the Common Council, except such as shall be specially ordered otherwise. The two Boards shall have concurrent powers, and a negative on each other's proceedings, and shall in all cases act as separate bodies, and shall not appoint Joint Committees, except a Committee on Accounts. Each Board may originate, amend, concur in, or reject any law, ordinance resolution; but no law shall pass either Board, except by a majority of the members elected. Neither Board shall adjourn for a longer period than three days, except by a resolution to be concurred in by the other body.

§ 5. It shall be the duty of the Clerks of the respective Boards, to publish all ordinances, and amendments of ordinances which shall be passed, and also the proceedings, in the newspapers employed by the Corporation, except such parts as may require secrecy, and whenever a vote shall be taken in either Board, upon the passage of a resolution or ordinance which shall contemplate any specific improvement, or involve the sale, disposition or appropriation of public property, or the expenditure of public moneys or income therefrom, or lay any tax or assessment, such resolution or ordinance shall, before the same shall be sent to the other Board, and immediately after the adjournment of the Board, at which the same shall have been passed, be published with the ayes and noes, with the names of the persons voting for and against the same, in at least two newspapers, as a part of the proceedings; and no act, resolution or ordinance which shall have passed one Board, shall be acted upon by the other Board on the same day, unless by unanimous consent, except in case of invasion, insurrection, or pestilence.

§ 6. If any ordinance or resolution passed by each Board, as provided by sections twelve and thirteen of the amended charter of one thousand eight hundred and thirty, shall not be returned by the Mayor within ten days (Sundays excepted) after it shall have been presented to him, the same shall become a law in like manner as if he had signed it, unless the close of the session of the Common Council shall prevent its return, in which case it shall not be a law until the expiration of five days after the commencement of the next session of the Common Council, by whom the ordinance or resolution shall be reconsidered if returned within such time, and be disposed of in the same manner, and with the like effect, as if presented at the preceding session.

§ 7. No money shall be drawn from the city treasury, except the same shall have been previously appropriated to the purpose for which it is drawn; and all appropriations shall be based upon specific and detailed statements, in writing, of the several heads of the departments, through the Comptroller.

§ 8. The Board of Assistant Aldermen shall have the sole power of impeachment of all city officers not otherwise provided for, and pending such impeachment, and until the final disposition thereof, the party impeached shall not exercise any of the functions of his office. The Board of Aldermen shall have the sole power to try all impeachments; when sitting for that purpose, they shall be on oath or affirmation, truly and impartially to try the impeachment according to evidence, and no person shall be convicted without the concurrence of two-thirds of all the members elected to said Board. Judgment in case of impeachment, shall not extend farther than removal from office and disqualification to hold any office under the city charter; but the party convicted shall be liable to indictment, trial, judgment and punishment according to law.

§ 9. The executive power of the Corporation shall be vested in the Mayor, the heads of departments, and such other executive officers as shall be from time to time created by law, and neither the Common Council nor any Committee or member thereof, shall perform any executive business whatever, except such as is or shall be especially imposed on them by the laws of the state, and except that the Board of Aldermen may approve or reject the nominations made to them, as hereinafter provided.

§ 10. There shall continue to be an Executive Department, which shall be known as the "Police Department," and the Mayor of the city shall be the head officer thereof. There shall be a bureau in this department, and the chief officer thereof shall be denominated the "Chief of Police."

§ 11. There shall be an Executive Department, which shall be denominated "the Department of Finance," which shall have control of all the fiscal concerns of the Corporation, and shall prescribe the forms of keeping and rendering all city accounts whatever, and all accounts rendered to or kept in the several departments of the city government, shall be subject to the inspection and revision of the officers of this department. It shall settle and adjust all claims whatsoever by the Corporation or against them, and all accounts whatsoever, in which the Corporation is concerned, either as debtor or creditor. The chief officer of this department shall be called "the Comptroller of the City of New York." There shall be a bureau in this department for the collection of the revenue accruing from taxes, the chief officer thereof shall be called the "Receiver of Taxes," who shall nominate, and with the advice and consent of the Board of Aldermen, appoint so many Clerks as shall be authorized by the Common Council: provided that nothing in this act contained shall be held to interfere with the tenure of office of the present Receiver of Taxes and Deputy Receiver of Taxes, as established by the act passed April 11, 1848. There shall be a bureau in this department for the collection of the revenue accruing from rents and interest on bonds and mortgages, and for the performance of such other duties as may be directed by the Common Council, the chief officer of which shall be called the "Collector of the City Revenue." There shall be a bureau in this department for the reception of all moneys paid into the treasury of the city, and for the payment of moneys therefrom on the warrant drawn by the Comptroller, and countersigned by the Mayor and Clerk of the Common Council, and the chief officer thereof shall be called the "Chamberlain of the City of New York."

§ 12. There shall be an Executive Department under the denomination of the "Street Department," which shall have cognizance of opening, regulating and paving streets; building and repairing wharves and piers; digging and building wells, and the construction of public roads, when done by assessment; the filling up of sunken lots, under ordinances of the Common Council from the City Inspector's Department. It shall also have cognizance of collecting the assessments connected with such expenditures; the chief officer shall be called the "Street Commissioner." There shall be a bureau in this department for the collection of assessments, and the chief officer thereof shall be called the "Collector of Assessments," and his assistants "Deputy Collectors" There shall be a bureau in this department, the chief officer of which shall be called the "Superintendent of Wharves."

§ 13. There shall be an Executive Department, to be denominated the department of "Repairs and Supplies," which shall have cognizance of all repairs and supplies of and for roads and avenues, public pavements, repairs to public buildings, to fire engines and apparatus of Fire Department, and the chief officer thereof shall be called the "Commissioner of Repairs and Supplies." There shall be four bureaux or branches in this department, and the chief officers shall be respectively denominated the "Superintendent of Roads," "Superintendent of Repairs to Public Buildings," "Superintendent of Pavements," and "Chief Engineer of the Fire Department."

§ 14. There shall be an Executive Department, to be denominated the "Department of Streets and Lamps," which shall have cognizance of procuring the necessary supplies for, and of lighting the public streets and places, lighted at the expense of the Corporation; and of cleaning the public streets, and collecting the revenue arising from the sale of manure, and also of the transferring of butchers' stalls in the public makets. The chief officer thereof shall be denominated the "Commissioner of Streets and Lamps." There shall be three bureaux in this department, and the chief officers thereof shall be called the "Superintendent of Lamps and Gas," "Superintendent of Streets," and "Superintendent of Markets."

§ 15. There shall be an Executive Department, under the denomination of the "Croton Aqueduct Board," which shall have charge of the Croton Aqueduct, and all structures, and works, and property connected with the supply and distribution of water to the city of New York, and the underground drainage of the same; and of the public sewers of said city; and the collection of the revenues arising from the sale of the water, with such other powers and duties as shall or may be prescribed by law. The chief officers thereof shall be called the President, Engineer and Assistant Commissioner, who together shall form the Croton Aqueduct Board, and hold their offices for five years. There shall be a bureau in this department for the collection of the revenues derived from the sale of the water, and the chief officer thereof shall be called the "Water Register."

§ 16. There shall be an Executive Department, under the denomination of the "City Inspector's Department," which shall have cognizance of all matters relative to the public health of said city, and the chief officer thereof shall be called the "City Inspector."

§ 17. There shall be an Executive Department, known as the "Alms-House Department," which shall have cognizance of all matters relating to the Alms-House and Prisons of said city; the chief officers thereof shall be called the "Governors of the Alms-House." They shall consist of the

number, derive and hold their offices, and be charged with the duties, powers and responsibilities as prescribed by the act entitled "An act to provide for the government of the Alms-House and Penitentiary, in the City and County of New York."

§ 18. There shall be an Executive Department, known as the "Law Department," which shall have the charge of and conduct all the law business of the Corporation, and of the departments thereof, and all other law business in which the city shall be interested, when so ordered by the Corporation; and shall have the charge of, and conduct the legal proceedings necessary in opening, widening, or altering streets; and draw the leases, deeds, and other papers connected with the Finance Department, and the chief officer thereof shall be called the "Counsel to the Corporation." There shall be a bureau in this department, the chief officer of which shall be denominated the "Corporation Attorney" There shall be a bureau in this department, the chief officer of which shall be called the "Public Administrator."

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§ 19. It shall be lawful for the Common Council of said city to establish such other departments and bureaux as they may deem the public interest may require, and to assign to them and those herein created, such duties as they may direct, not inconsistent with this act; but no expense shall be incurred by any of the departments or officers thereof, whether the object of expenditure shall have been ordered by the Common Council or not, unless an appropriation shall have been previously made concerning such expense; and no member of the Common Council, head of department, chief of bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, shall be directly or indirectly interested in any contract, work, or business, or the sale of any article, the expense, price, or consideration of which is paid from the city treasury, or by any assessment levied by any act or ordinance of the Common Council, nor in the purchase of any real estate or other property belonging to the Corporation, or which shall be sold for taxes or assessments.

§ 20. The heads of departments, except the Croton Aqueduct Board, shall be elected every three years by the people. In case of vacancy of any of said heads of departments, by removal from office or otherwise, the Mayor, by and with the advice and consent of the Board of Aldermen, shall appoint a person to fill the same until the vacancy shall be filled by the electors at the next charter election. The heads of departments shall nominate, and by and with the consent of the Board of Aldermen, appoint the heads of bureaux in their several departments, except the Chamberlain of the city of New York, the Receiver of Taxes, and the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department. The heads of departments shall also in like manner appoint the clerks in their immediate offices. The heads of bureaux shall nominate, and with the consent of the Board of Aldermen, appoint all clerks in their respective bureaux. The Mayor shall nominate, and by and with the consent of the Board of Aldermen, appoint the Chamberlain of the city of New York, the chief officers of the Croton Aqueduct Department, and the Receiver of Taxes. The Chief of the Fire Department shall be elected in the same manner as is now, or may hereafter be prescribed by law. The number of officers and clerks in the several departments shall be prescribed by the Common Council. The terms of all charter officers, not prescribed by law of the state, shall be fixed by the Common Council. All officers whose appointments are not otherwise provided for, shall be elected or appointed in such manner as the Common Council shall by law prescribe. Any officer of the city government, except the

Mayor and members of the Common Council, may be removed from office by concurrent resolution of both branches of the Common Council; provided that no removal shall take place until the party sought to be removed has had an opportunity to be heard in his defence, and unless two-thirds of the whole number of both branches vote therefor; and provided, also, that the cause of such removal shall be entered at large upon the journals of both branches of the Common Council. Any head of department may remove any clerk in his department, or any bureau thereof, with the consent of the Mayor.

§ 21. The several Executive Departments, and the officers and clerks thereof, shall be subject to the legislative regulation and direction of the Common Council, so far as the same shall not be inconsistent with this act; and the duties thereof shall be performed in accordance with the charter and laws and ordinances of the city. The Mayor, and each Board of the Common Council, may at any time require the opinion in writing of the head of any department, upon any subject relating to his department, or any information possessed by him in relation thereto. And every head of department shall report in writing to the Common Council, at the commencement of each stated session, the state of his department, with such suggestion in relation to the improvement thereof, and to the public business connected therewith, as he may deem advisable.

§ 22. Whenever a vacancy shall occur in the office of assessor, by death, removal from the ward, resignation, or otherwise, the Board of Assessors shall fill the same by the appointment of a citizen of the ward in which the vacancy shall occur, until the vacancy shall be supplied by the electors of the ward, at the next election. And all assessments and awards shall be open to public inspection at least twenty days, by public notice thereof, before being certified to the proper department; and the assessments made by the assessors for all taxes, shall be made between the first day of January and the first day of April in each year.

§ 23. All contracts to be made or let by authority of the Common Council for work to be done or supplies to be furnished, and all sales of personal property in the custody of the several departments or bureaux, shall be made by the appropriate heads of departments, under such regulations as shall be established by ordinances of the Common Council. Every person elected or appointed to any office under the city government, shall take and subscribe an oath or affirmation before the Mayor, faithfully to perform the duties of his office, which oath or affirmation shall be filed in the Mayor's office.

§ 24. All officers or other persons to whom the receipts or expenditures of the funds of the city, or fees or funds payable into the city treasury, shall be entrusted, shall give sufficient security for the faithful performance of their duty, in such form and amount as the Common Council may by ordinance prescribe, which shall be annually renewed. No security shall be deemed cancelled or lost for want of renewal or re-appointment.

§ 25. Any officer of the city government, or person or persons employed in any department thereof, who shall wilfully violate any of the provisions of this charter, or commit any fraud, or convert any of the public property to his own use, or knowingly permit any other person so to convert it, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and in addition to the penalties imposed by law, shall forfeit his office, and be excluded forever after from receiving or holding any office under the city charter. And any person who shall wilfully swear falsely in any oath or affirmation required by this act, shall be guilty of perjury.

§ 26. The first election of officers to be elected under this act, shall be held at the next general state election. The Mayor who shall be elected at the charter election, on the second Tuesday in April, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine, shall hold his office until the first Monday of January, 1851, and the Aldermen and Assistant Aldermen who shall be elected at that election, shall hold their offices until the first Monday of January, 1850, and no longer. All officers of said city government, who shall be in office when this act shall take effect, shall hold their offices and execute the duties thereof, until their successors shall be duly qualified.

§ 27. The seventh section of the act entitled "An act to amend the charter of the city of New York," passed April 7th, 1830, and all provisions of law and of charter, which are inconsistent with this act, are hereby repealed.

§ 28. All such parts of the charter of the city of New York, and the several acts of the legislature amending the same, or in any manner affecting the same, as are inconsistent with this act, are hereby repealed; but so much and such parts thereof as are not inconsistent with the provisions of this law, shall not be construed as repealed, altered or modified, or in any form affected thereby, but shall continue and remain in full force and virtue.

§ 29. This act shall be submitted for the approval of the electors of the city and county of New York, at an election to be held in said city, on the second Tuesday of April, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine, for which the Common Council of the city shall make the necessary arrangements. The tickets which shall be polled at the said election, shall contain either the words, "In favor of amendments to charter," or "Against amendments to charter," and if a majority of all the persons voting thereon at the said election shall vote the ticket "In favor of amendments to charter," this act shall become a law; if a majority of such persons shall vote "Against amendments to charter," this act shall be void.

§ 30. In case this act shall be approved of by a majority of the electors of said city, as aforesaid, and become a law, it shall go into effect on the first day of June next; and the terms of office of all the officers elected at such election on the second Tuesday of April next, shall expire on the days and in the manner hereinbefore provided.

RULES AND ORDERS

OF THE

BOARD OF ALDERMEN

OF THE

CITY OF NEW YORK.

PASSED MARCH 21, 1850.

I. UPON the appearance of ten members, the President, or in his absence, a President *pro tem.* shall take the chair as President, and the members be called to order.

II. In case the President shall not attend, the Clerk, on the appearance of ten members, shall call the Board to order, when a President *pro tem.* shall be appointed by the Board for that meeting, or until the appearance of the President.

III. After the reading and approving of the minutes, the orders of business which shall not in any case be departed from, except by the consent of ten members voting therefor, shall be as follows:—

1st. Presentation of petitions.
2d. Motions or Resolutions.
3d. Reports of Committees.
4th. Communications and Reports from the Departments or Corporation Officers
5th. Unfinished business.
6th. Seecial orders of the day.
7th. Messages, papers from the Mayor or the Board of Assistant Aldermen, may be considered at any time.

IV. Whenever the President may wish to leave the chair, he shall have power to substitute a member in his place, provided that substitution shall not continue beyond the day on which it is made.

V. The President in all cases has the right of voting; and when the Board shall be equally divided, including his vote, the question shall be lost.

VI. Whenever it shall be moved and carried, that the Board go into Committee of the Whole, the President shall leave the chair, and shall appoint a Chairman of the Committee of the Whole, who shall report the proceedings of the Committee. The rules of the Board shall be observed in the

Committee of the Whole, except the rules respecting a call for the ayes and noes, and limiting the time for speaking.

VII. On motion in Committee to rise and report, the question shall be decided without debate.

VIII. No amendment shall be allowed in the Board on any question which has been decided in Committee of the Whole, unless by the consent of two-thirds of the members present.

IX. If the question in debate contains several points, any member may have the same divided.

X. A motion to refer or lay on the table, until it is decided, shall preclude all amendments to the main question.

XI. When a question has been once put and decided, it shall be in order for any member who voted in the majority to move for the reconsideration thereof; but no motion for the reconsideration of any vote, shall be made after the ordinance, resolution, or act shall have gone out of the possession of the Board; and no motion of reconsideration shall be taken more than once.

XII. No act, resolution, or ordinance, sent to this Board from the other Board for concurrence, shall be acted upon the same day it passed the other Board, unless by unanimous consent of the members present, except in case of invasion, insurrection or pestilence.

XIII. It shall be the duty of the Clerk to publish all ordinances and amendments of ordinances which shall be passed, and also the proceedings in the newspapers employed by the Corporation, except such parts as may require secrecy; and whenever a vote shall be taken upon the passage of a resolution or ordinance which shall contemplate any specific improvement, or involve the sale, disposition or appropriation of public property, or lay any tax or assessment, he shall, before the same is sent to the other Board, and immediately after the adjournment, cause the same to be published, with the ayes and noes, with the names of the persons voting for and against the same, in at least two newspapers, as a part of the proceedings, and shall thereafter certify and send to the other Board every act, ordinance and resolution which has originated in and passed this Board, and which requires a concurrent vote of the Board of Assistant Aldermen; and to deliver to the Mayor, certified in like manner, all such ordinances and resolutions which shall have been received from the Board of Assistant Aldermen, and concurred in by this Board, and which are required to be submitted to him for approval, and shall certify to the other Board the proceedings of this Board, in reference to all acts or business originating with the other Board.

XIV. The President shall preserve order and decorum, and shall decide questions of order, subject to an appeal to the Board.

XV. Every member, previous to his speaking, shall rise from his seat, and address himself to the President.

XVI. When two or more members shall rise at once, the President shall name the member who is first to speak.

XVII. No person shall speak more than twice to the same question, without leave of the Board; nor more than once, until every member choosing to speak shall have spoken.

XVIII. While a member is speaking, no member shall entertain any private discourse, or pass between him and the Chair.

XIX. No question on a motion shall be debated or put, unless the same be seconded. When a motion is seconded, it shall be stated by the President before debate ; and every such motion shall be reduced to writing, if any member desire it.

XX. After a motion is stated by the President, it shall be deemed to be in the possession of the Board ; but it may be withdrawn at any time by the mover before decision or amendment.

XXI. When a question is under debate, no motion shall be received, unless

1. To amend it.
2. To commit it.
3. To lay on the table.
4. To postpone it.
5. For the previous question, or
6. To adjourn.

XXII. A motion to lay on the table shall be decided without amendment or debate, and a motion to commit, until it is decided, shall preclude all amendments and debate of the main question.

XXIII. A motion to adjourn shall always be in order, and shall be decided without debate.

XXIV. The previous question, until it is decided, shall preclude all amendments and debate, and shall be put in this form—" Shall the main question be now put ?"

XXV. Every member who shall be present when a question is put, shall vote for or against the same, unless the Board shall excuse him, unless he be immediately interested in the question, in which case he shall not vote ; but no member shall be permitted to vote upon a question when a division is called, unless present when his name is called in its regular order.

XXVI. A member called to order shall immediately sit down, unless permitted to explain ; and the Board, if appealed to, shall decide on the case, but without debate. If there be no appeal, the decision of the Chair shall be submitted to.

XXVII. All questions shall be put in the order they are moved, except in filling up blanks—the longest time and the largest sum shall be first put.

XXVIII. The ayes and noes shall be taken at the request of a member, and the name of the member calling for the division shall be entered on the minutes.

XXIX. Upon a division of the Board, the names of those who vote for, and those who vote against the question shall be entered upon the minutes.

XXX. All appointments of officers shall be by ballot, unless dispensed with by the consent of the Board, and a majority of the whole number present shall be necessary to constitute a choice.

XXXI. No member shall absent himself without permission from the President.

XXXII. All Committees shall be appointed by the President, unless otherwise ordered by the Board.

XXXIII. Committees appointed to report on any subject referred to them by the Board shall report the facts in relation to the subject referred, with their opinion thereon, in writing, and shall attach thereto all resolutions, petitions, remonstrances, and other papers relative to the matter referred ; and no report shall be received, except the same be signed by a majority of

the Committee; but nothing contained in this rule shall prevent a minority of any Committee from submitting a report. And no report shall be printed unless by the express direction of the Board, specifying the number of copies to be printed.

XXXIV. Whenever the doors are directed to be closed, all persons, excepting the members and the Clerk, shall retire.

XXXV. Every petition, remonstrance, or other written application, intended to be presented to the Common Council, may be delivered to the President, or any member of the Board, and the member, to whom it shall be given, shall examine the same, and endorse thereon the name of the applicant, and the substance of such application, and sign his name thereto; which endorsement only shall be read by the President, unless a member shall require the reading of the paper, in which case the whole shall be read.

XXXVI. Standing Committees, consisting of three members each, shall be appointed on the following subjects:—

1. Alms-House Department.
2. Arts and Sciences.
3. Assessments.
4. Cleaning Streets.
5. Ferries.
6. Finance.
7. Fire Department.
8. Joint Committee on Accounts.
9. Joint Committee on Croton Aqueduct.
10. Lamps and Gas.
11. Lands and Places.
12. Law Department.
13. Markets.
14. Ordinances.
15. Police.
16. Public Health.
17. Public Buildings on Blackwell's Island, Randall's Island and Bellevue Establishment.
18. Repairs and Supplies.
19. Roads:
20. Salaries and Offices.
21. Sewers.
22. Streets.
23. Wharves, Piers and Slips.

XXXVII. The President shall be, *ex-officio*, a member of all Committees; but a majority of such Committee, exclusive of the President, shall be sufficient to agree upon a report.

XXXVIII. The members of the Board shall not leave their places on adjournment, until the President leaves the chair.

XXXIX. None of the foregoing rules and orders shall be amended or repealed, except by the vote of at least ten members.

D. T. VALENTINE, *Clerk.*

RULES AND ORDERS

OF THE

BOARD OF ASSISTANT ALDERMEN

OF THE

CITY OF NEW YORK.

PASSED JANUARY 7, 1850.

1. UPON the appearance of ten members, including the President, the members shall be called to order.

II. In case the President shall not attend, the Clerk, on the appearance of ten members, shall call the Board to order, when a President *pro tem.* shall be appointed by the Board for that meeting, or until the appearance of the President.

III. Immediately after the President shall have taken the chair, the minutes of the preceding meeting shall be read by the Clerk, to the end that any mistake therein may be corrected by the Board.

IV. The order of business, which shall in no case be departed from, except by the consent of ten members voting therefor, shall be as follows:

1st. Presentation of Petitions.
2d. Reports of Committees.
3d. Communications and Reports from the Departments or Corporation Officers.
4th. Motions or Resolutions.
5th. Unfinished business of the preceding meeting.
6th. Special Orders of the day.
7th. General Orders of the day.
8th. Messages from the Mayor or from the Board of Aldermen, may be considered at any time.

V. Whenever the President may wish to leave the chair, he shall have power to substitute a member in his place, provided that such substitution shall not continue beyond the day on which it is made.

VI. When the Board shall be equally divided, including the vote of the President, the question shall be lost.

VII. Whenever any five members shall require the Board to go into Committee of the Whole, the President shall leave the chair, and shall appoint a Chairman of the Committee of the Whole, who shall report the proceed-

ings of the Committee. The rules of the Board shall be observed in the Committee of the Whole, except the rules respecting a call for the ayes and noes, and limiting the time of speaking.

VIII. On motion in Committee to rise and report, the question shall be decided without debate.

IX. No amendment shall be allowed in the Board on any question which has been decided in Committee of the Whole, unless by the consent of two-thirds of the members present.

X. The President shall cause the Clerk to make a list of all the messages, ordinances, resolutions and reports not finally disposed of, which shall be considered "the general orders of the day."

XI. If the question in debate contains several points, any member may have the same divided.

XII. A motion to refer or lay on the table, until it is decided, shall preclude all amendments to the main question.

XIII. When a question has been once put and decided, it shall be in order for any member who voted in the majority to move for the reconsideration thereof; but no motion for the reconsideration of any vote shall be made after the ordinance, resolution, or act shall have gone out of the possession of the Board; and no motion of reconsideration shall be taken more than once.

XIV. No act, resolution or ordinance, sent to this Board from the other Board for concurrence, shall be called up for final passage on the same day it passed the other Board, unless by unanimous consent of the members present, except in case of invasion, insurrection or pestilence.

XV. It shall be the duty of the Clerk to publish all ordinances and amendments of ordinances which shall be passed, and also the proceedings, in the newspapers employed by the Corporation, except such parts as may require secrecy; and whenever a vote shall be taken upon the passage of a resolution or ordinance, which shall contemplate any specific improvement, or involve the sale, disposition or appropriation of public property, or the expenditure of public money, or the income therefrom, or lay any tax or assessment, he shall, before the same is sent to the other Board, and immediately after the adjournment, cause the same to be published, with the ayes and noes, with the names of the persons voting for and against the same, in at least two newspapers, as a part of the proceedings, and shall thereafter certify and send to the other Board every act, resolution and ordinance which has originated in and passed this Board, and which requires a concurrent vote of the Board of Aldermen, and shall deliver to the Mayor, certified in like manner, all such ordinances and resolutions which shall have been received from the Board of Aldermen, and concurred in by this Board, and which are required to be submitted to him for his approval, and shall certify to the other Board the proceedings of this Board in reference to all acts or business originating with the other Board.

XVI. The President shall preserve order and decorum, and shall decide questions of order, subject to an appeal to the Board.

XVII Every member, previous to his speaking, shall rise from his seat, and address himself to the President.

XVIII. When two or more members shall rise at once, the President shall name the member who is first to speak.

XIX. No person shall speak more than twice to the same question, without leave of the Board; nor more than once, until every member choosing to speak shall have spoken; nor more than once upon the previous question.

XX. No question on a motion shall be debated or put, unless the same be seconded. When a motion is seconded, it shall be stated by the President before debate; and every such motion shall be reduced to writing, if any member desire it.

XXI. After a motion is stated by the President, it shall be deemed to be in possession of the Board; but it may be withdrawn at any time before decision or amendment.

XXII. When a question is under debate, no motion shall be received, unless

1. To amend it.
2. To commit it.
3. To lay on the table.
4. To postpone it.
5. For the previous question, or
6. To adjourn.

XXIII. A motion to adjourn shall always be in order, and shall be decided without debate.

XXIV. The previous question, until it is decided, shall preclude all amendments and debate of the main question, and shall be put in this form—"Shall the main question be now put?"

XXV. Every member who shall be present when a question is put, shall vote for or against the same, unless the Board shall excuse him, or unless he be immediately interested in the question, in which case he shall not vote; but no member shall be permitted to vote upon a question when a division is called, unless to vote when his name is called in its regular order.

XXVI. A member called to order shall immediately sit down, unless permitted to explain; and the Board, if appealed to, shall decide on the case, but without debate. If there be no appeal, the decision of the Chair shall be submitted to.

XXVII. All questions shall be put in the order they are moved, except in filling up blanks—the longest time and the largest sum shall be first put.

XXVIII. Upon a division of the Board, the names of those who vote for and those who vote against the question, shall be entered upon the minutes; not only in the case required by law, but when any two members require it.

XXIX. In all divisions taken by the Board by ayes and nays, on the call of the member, it shall also be the duty of the Clerk to enter on the minutes the name of the member so calling for the division.

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and no report shall be received unless the same be signed by a majority of the Committee. And no report shall be printed unless by the express direction of the Board, specifying the number of copies to be printed.

XXXIV. Whenever the doors are directed to be closed, all persons, excepting the members and the Clerk, shall retire.

XXXV. Every petition, remonstrance, or other written application, intended to be presented to the Common Council, is to be delivered to the President, or any other member of the Board, on any day, but not later than four o'clock on the day on which the Common Council convene, except on extraordinary occasions; and the President or other member to whom it shall be given, shall examine the same, or endorse thereon the name of the applicant, and the substance of such application, and sign his name thereto; which endorsement only shall be read by the President, unless a member shall require the reading of the paper, in which case the whole shall be read.

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1. Alms-House Department.
2. Arts and Sciences.
3. Assessments.
4. Cleaning Streets.
5. Ferries.
6. Finance.
7. Fire Department.
8. Joint Committee on Accounts.
9. Joint Committee on Croton Aquduct.
10. Lamps and Gas.
11. Lands and Places.
12. Law Department.
13. Markets.
14. Ordinances.
15. Police.
16. Public Health.
17. Public Buildings on Blackwell's Island, Randall's Island and Bellevue Establishment.
18. Repairs and Supplies.
19. Roads.
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21. Sewers.
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RICHARD SCOTT, *Clerk.*

CITY GOVERNMENT.

1851.

Hon. AMBROSE C. KINGSLAND, *Mayor*,
Office, No. 5 City Hall, residence, Fifth avenue.
DAVID T. VALENTINE, *Clerk of Common Council*,
Office, No. 8 City Hall, residence, No. 78 Seventh street.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Wards.	Names.	Residences.	Place of Business.
7.	Morgan Morgans, *Pres't*...125	Madison street.....	
1.	Edmund Griffin..... 30	Greenwich street...22	Albany street.
2.	Daniel Dodge..... 34	Park row.....	
3.	Oscar W. Sturtevant.....	Astor House.....218	Fulton street.
4.	Jacob F. Oakley..... 8	Dover street.....340	Pearl street.
5.	Warren Chapman.....437	Greenwich street... 92	Liberty street.
6.	Patrick Kelly..... 74	Bayard street.....	
8.	Ezra Smith..... 77	Thompson street...	
9.	James R. Ball.....229	Bleecker street.....	
10.	Robert T. Haws..... 95	Allen street.....	8 South Wm. st.
11.	Jedediah Miller..... 17	Avenue D.....	
12.	Henry Shaw.....	Fort Washington ..	
13.	James H. Cook.....100	Broome street.....	
14.	James M. Bard.....201	Hester street.....	10 Canal street.
15.	Joseph Britton.....232	Wooster street.....586	Greenwich st.
16.	Samuel Delamater.....	West Twenty-third st., near 10th av.	
17	George H. Franklin..... 52	First street.....173	West street.
18.	Jonas F. Concklin,.....332	Third av., cor. Twenty-seventh street.	
19.	William A. Dooley..... ..	Fifty-third street, near Second avenue.	

BOARD OF ASSISTANT ALDERMEN.

Wards.	Names.	Residences.	Place of Business.
18.	Alonzo A. Alvord, *Pres't*.. 31	st st., near 6th av..	Broadway cor. Pine.
1.	Abraham Moore..... 5	State street.....	96 Wall street.
2.	Dudley Haley.....234	Water street.....	
3.	Samuel R. Mabbatt.....289	Washington street..	288 Washington st.
4.	Florence McCarthy..... 33	Madison street.....	
5.	John Boyce.....320	Greenwich street...	227 Fulton street.
6.	Thomas J. Barr..... 52	Franklin street.....	
7.	John B. Webb.....271	East Broadway	718 Water street.
8.	Jamas Webb 43	Charlton street.....	
9.	Charles Crane.....736	Washington street..	203 West street.
10.	David Miller.....101	Orchard street.....	40 Eldridge street.
11.	Wesley Smith 69	Avenue D, foot Thirteenth street, E. R.	
12.	Daniel F. Tieman.....	Manhattanville.....	
13.	John Pearsall.....256	Delancey street.....	Fulton market.
14.	Robert A. Sands.....	Corner Spring street and Bowery.	
15.	Sylvester L. H. Ward.....246	Fourth street.....	95 Cedar street.
16.	Henry B. Bolster.....	Twenty-third street, near Sixth avenue.	
17.	Nathan C. Ely..... 8	Third street,.....140	Front street.
19.	Moses C. Edwards.....	43d st, 2 doors W. 8th av.	102 Barclay st.

OFFICERS OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Office, No. 8 City Hall.

David T. Valentine, *Clerk*.....Residence, 78 Seventh st.
James M. Wilson, *Deputy Clerk*..... " 84 Watts street.
John H. Chambers, *Assistant Clerk*..... " 182 Hester street.
Henry Ten Eyck, " " ..... " 122 Essex street.
, *Sergeant-at-arms*..... "
Amos Jones, *Messenger*..... " 219 Sullivan st.
John Fowler, jr., *Reader*..... " Bloomingdale.

OFFICERS OF THE BOARD OF ASSISTANT ALDERMEN.

Office, No. 4 City Hall.

Richard Scott, *Clerk*.....Residence, 136 Allen street.
John H. Doane, *Reader*..... " 91 Avenue B.
Nicholas M. Slidell, *Sergeant-at-Arms*..... " 158 Spring st.

STANDING COMMITTEES

OF THE BOARDS OF ALDERMEN AND ASSISTANT ALDERMEN.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

1851.

1. *Alms House Department.*
Alderman Ball,
" Sturtevant,
" Cook.

2. *Arts and Sciences.*
Alderman Chapman,
" Haws,
" Miller.

3. *Assessments.*
Alderman Delamater,
" Smith,
" Dodge.

4. *Cleaning Streets.*
Alderman Britton,
" Concklin,
" Oakley.

5. *Ferries.*
Alderman Britton,
" Franklin,
" Miller.

6. *Finance.*
Alderman Britton,
" Smith,
" Bard.

7. *Fire Department.*
Alderman Franklin,
" Griffin,
" Bard.

8. *Joint Committee on Accounts.*
Alderman Smith,
" Ball,
" Miller.

9. *Joint Com. on Croton Aqueduct.*
Alderman Griffin,
" Britton,
" Kelly.

10. *Lamps and Gas.*
Alderman Haws,
" Franklin,
" Bard.

11. *Lands and Places.*
Alderman Dooley,
" Ball,
" Oakley.

12. *Law Department.*
Alderman Sturtevant,
" Griffin,
" Shaw.

13. *Markets.*
Alderman Delamater,
" Chapman,
" Dodge.

14. *Ordinances.*
Alderman Sturtevant,
" Haws,
" Shaw.

15. *Police.*
Alderman Haws,
" Sturtevant,
" Kelly.

16. *Public Health.*
Alderman Ball,
" Concklin,
" Kelly.

17. *Public Buildings on Blackwell's Island, Randall's Island and Bellevue Establishment.*
Alderman Chapman,
" Smith,
" Cook.

18. *Repairs and Supplies.*
Alderman Smith,
" Delamater,
" Oakley.

19. *Roads.*
Alderman Dooley,
" Britton,
" Shaw.

20. *Salaries and Officers.*
Alderman Griffin,
" Dooley.
" Cook.

21. *Sewers.*
Alderman Franklin,
" Dooley,
" Miller.

22. *Streets.*
Alderman Concklin,
" Chapman,
" Kelly.

23. *Wharves, Piers and Slips.*
Alderman Concklin,
" Delamater,
" Dodge.

BOARD OF ASSISTANT ALDERMEN.

1851.

1. *Alms House Department.*
Assistant Alderman J. B. Webb.
" " Pearsall,
" " Haley,

2. *Arts and Sciences.*
Assistant Alderman Jas. Webb,
" " Ward,
" " Sands.

3. *Assessments.*
Assistant Alderman Ely,
" " Miller,
" " Smith.

4. *Cleaning Streets.*
Assistant Alderman Miller,
" " Boyce,
" " Moore.

5. *Ferries.*
Assistant Alderman J. B. Webb.
" " Ely,
" " Sands.

6. *Finance.*
Assistant Alderman Boyce,
" " J. B. Webb,
" " Sands.

7. *Fire Department.*
Assistant Alderman Crane,
" " Miller,
" " Smith.

8. *Joint Committee on Accounts.*
Assistant Alderman Mabbatt,
" " Boyce,
" " Sands.

9. *Joint Com. on Croton Aqueduct.*
Assistant Alderman Mabbatt,
" " Crane,
" " Barr.

10. *Lamps and Gas.*
Assistant Alderman Edwards,
" " Jas. Webb.
" " Moore.

11. *Lands and Places.*
Assistant Alderman Bolster,
" " Ward,
" " Tieman.

12. *Law Department.*
Assistant Alderman Ward,
" " Ely,
" " McCarthy.

13. *Markets.*
Assistant Alderman Pearsall,
" " Edwards,
" " Haley.

14. *Ordinances.*
Assistant Alderman Ward,
" " Mabbatt,
" " McCarthy.

15. *Police.*
Assistant Alderman Miller,
" " Mabbatt,
" " Haley.

16. *Public Health.*
Assistant Alderman Boyce,
" " Pearsall,
" " Moore.

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" " Barr.

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" " Jas. Webb.
" " Barr.

23. *Wharves, Piers and Slips.*
Assistant Alderman Crane,
" " Bolster,
" " Smith.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

The Board of Supervisors is composed of the Mayor, the Recorder and the Aldermen. The stated Annual Meetings of the Board are—

R. S. part 4, c. 2, title 4, art. 1, sec. 2, v. sec. 2, p. 729.

On the second Monday of July, to prepare a list of the names of 600 persons to serve as Grand Jurors during the ensuing year.

2 R. L. 399, laws relative to the City, 128, Act April 9, 1813, sec. CL.

On the second Tuesday of July, (at the City Hall, and at any such other times and places as they shall find necessary,) to examine and ascertain what sums of money are by law imposed on the said city, in that year, for taxes,* &c.

7 L. N. Y. a. 123. Laws relative to the City, 173. Act April 6, 1825, sec. 2.

On the third Tuesday of August, (at the City Hall, or at such other places, and at such times as they shall find necessary,) to examine the several assessment rolls, &c. They are to cause the assessment rolls, when corrected, (or fair copies,) to be delivered to the Receiver of Taxes, on or before the last day of October.

2 R. L. 399, laws relative to City, 128. Act April 9, 1813, section CLI.

Between the third Tuesday of November and the first Tuesday of December, and at such other times and places as they may direct, to examine and audit the books, accounts and vouchers of the Chamberlain of the city.

STANDING COMMITTEES OF SAID BOARD.

Appointed in pursuance of a Resolution of the 16*th September*, 1841,

By his Honor the Mayor, AMBROSE C. KINGSLAND, January 10th, 1851:

I. *On Annual Taxes.*

Messrs. Joseph Britton,
Morgan Morgans,
James M. Bard.

II. *On Civil Courts.*

Messrs. Oscar W. Sturtevant,
Jonas F. Concklin,
James H. Cook.

III. *On County Officers.*

Messrs. George H. Franklin,
Ezra Smith,
Patrick Kelly.

IV. *On Criminal Courts and Police.*

Messrs. Robert T. Haws,
Edmund Griffin,
Henry Shaw.

* The Annual Tax Law empowers them, as soon as conveniently may be after the passing of the act, to order and cause to be raised by tax, etc.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS.

HEADS OF DEPARTMENTS.

Police.....Hon. A. C. Kingsland, Mayor.
Finance.....Joseph R. Taylor, Comptroller.
Streets.....John T. Dodge, Street Commissioner.
Repairs and Supplies..William Adams, Commiss'r of Repairs and Supplies.
Streets and Lamps....Jacob L. Dodge, do of Streets and Lamps.
Croton Aqueduct....Nicholas Dean, Theodore R. De Forest, Alfred W. Craven, } Croton Board.
City Inspector's.....Alfred W. White, City Inspector.
Alms House.....Board of Governors of the Alms-House. Simeon Draper, President.
Law.....Henry E. Davies, Counsel to the Corporation.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

HON. AMBROSE C. KINGSLAND, MAYOR.

Mayor's Office, No. 6 City Hall.

Charles Burdett, *Mayor's Clerk*.....Residence, 191 Hudson street.
Asher Taylor, *First Marshal*..... " 83 Spring street.
Geo. W. Hinchman, *Ass. Clerk and Mayor's Mess.* 70 Third street.

BUREAU OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE.

George W. Matsell, *Chief of Police*.....Office, No. 1 City Hall.
(For list of officers in this Bureau, and of the Police generally, see another portion of this work.)

BUREAU OF INSPECTION.

James B. Glover, *Weigher*.....Residence, 99 Canal street.
Henry M. Nichols, *Gauger*..... " 69 South street.
James M. Odell, *Pound Keeper*..... " ———
John P. Chamberlin, " ..... " 79 Robinson st.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Office, No. 5 Hall of Records.

Joseph R. Taylor, *Comptroller*.....Residence, 138 East Nineteenth st.
Frederick A. Southmayd, *Bookkeeper*... " 58 W. Washington pl.
Wakeman H. Dikeman, *Stock Clerk*.... " 268 Elizabeth street.
James Timpson, *Auditor*..... " 183 Seventh avenue.
Joseph C. Pinckney, *Redemption Clerk*. " 94 Stanton street.
George L. Taylor, *Assist. Auditor*..... " 138 East Nineteenth st.

BUREAU OF TAXES.

Office, No. 6 New City Hall, (Basement.)

Harvey Hart, *Receiver of Taxes*.....Residence, 34 Greene street.
William A. Darling, *Deputy* " ..... " 177 Hudson street.
John P. Hone, 1*st Clerk to* " ..... " Harlem.
James W. Farr, 2*d* " " ..... " 36th st. and 8th avenue.
Henry K. Frost, 3*d* " " ..... " 8 Willet street.
J. S. Vredenburgh, 4*th* " ..... " Harlem.
Peter Fargis, *Messenger*..... " 273 Bowery.

(Five or six temporary clerks appointed for six months.)

BUREAU OF THE CITY REVENUE.

Geo. J. Rogers, *Collector of City Revenue*.....Residence, 4 Greenwich st.

BUREAU OF DEPOSIT AND DISBURSEMENT.

Shepherd Knapp, *Chamberlain*.....Mechanics' Bank.

BUREAU OF THE CITY HALL AND PARK.

James Taylor, *Keeper of the City Hall and Park*.....9 City Hall.

STREET DEPARTMENT.

Office, No. 4 Hall of Records.

John T. Dodge, *Street Commissioner*.....Residence, 93 Seventh street.
Charles Turner, *Deputy* " ..... " 123 East 19th street.
Phineas H. Kingsland, *Sale and Red. Clk.* " 258 West 19th street.
Olcott Rhines, *Map Clerk*..... " 131 Canal street.
Michael G. Hart, *Contract Clerk*..... " 644 Houston street.
Charles A. Thompson, *Copying Clerk*.... " 11 East 11th street.
Wm. Poulson, *Inspector of Side-walks*... " 282 Broome street.

BUREAU OF ASSESSMENTS.

ASSESSORS OF THE STREET DEPARTMENT.

Samuel H. De Mott.....Residence, 269 Third street.
Francis Nicholson..... " 147 Mercer street.
Isaac Wm. Smith..... " 38 Sixth street.

BUREAU OF THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS.

Office, No. 2 New City Hall, (Basement.)

Abner Sanford, *Collector of Assessments*, Residence, 28 Amity street.
Telotus Wilson, *Dep.* " " 393 Eighth avenue.
James Ackerman, *Dep.* " " 284 Hudson street.
Lemuel G. Evans, *Dep.* " " 187 Hudson street.

BUREAU OF WHARVES.

Moody Cummings, *Sup't of Wharves*.....Residence, 63 West 13th st.

BUREAU OF LANDS AND PLACES.

William Kerr, *Sup't of Lands and Places*.....Residence, corner Ninth av. [and West 26th street.

BUREAU OF SURVEYING.

CITY SURVEYORS.

Edward Ludlam	Residence,	8 James street.
Isaac T. Ludlam	"	do
Silas Ludlam	"	do
J. F. Bridges	"	45 Ann street.
E. W. Bridges	"	do
Daniel Ewen	"	9 Chambers street.
John Pollock	"	237 West Eighteenth street.
R. Ammerman	"	Broadway bet. 27th and 28th sts.
S. S. Doughty	"	45 Bowery.
T. P. Vidal	"	6 City Hall place.
G. A. Sage	"	635 Broadway.
J. E. Serrell	"	43 West Twenty-fifth street.
J. J. Serrell	"	72 Murray street.
George W. Smith	"	23d street and Ninth avenue.
Edwin Smith	"	7 Broad street.
P. H. Duryee	"	157 Sixth avenue.

DEPARTMENT OF REPAIRS AND SUPPLIES.

Office, No. 1 New City Hall, (Basement.)

William Adams, *Commiss'r of Repairs and Sup.*, Res., 186 Church street.
Rollin R. Rice, *Clerk in office of* " " Fourth avenue, [bet. 31st and 32d streets.

BUREAU OF ROADS.

Charles M. Graham, jr., *Sup't of Roads*.....Residence, Harlem.

BUREAU OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS.

Office, No. 19 Elizabeth street.

Job L. Black, *Superintend't of Repairs to Pub. Builds*, Res., 191 Third av.
Oscar F. Benjamin, *Clerk to Sup't* " " " 193 "

BUREAU OF STREET PAVING.

Office, corner of Tompkins and Rivington streets.

Jefferson Berrian, *Supt. of Pavements*,..... Residence, 192 Hudson street.
Jacob E. Howard, *Clerk to* " " " 25 Tompkins st.

BUREAU OF SUPPLIES FOR THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Office, No. 21 Elizabeth street.

Alfred Carson, *Chief Engineer of Fire Depart*....Residence, 185 Mott st.

DEPARTMENT OF STREETS AND LAMPS.

Office, No. 3 New City Hall, (Basement.)

Jacob L. Dodge, *Commiss'r of Streets and Lamps*, Res., 8 Leroy st.
Benj. F. Pease, *Clerk to* " " " 27 Greenwich av.

BUREAU OF LAMPS AND GAS.

Office, No. 129 Mercer street.

Smith D. Bellows, *Sup't of Lamps and Gas*.....Res., 28 East 24th st.
Pierre Briggs, *Clerk to* " " ..... " 4 King street.

Seventy-five lamp-lighters.
Whole number of oil lamps in the city, 7,100.
Whole number of gas lamps in the city, 5,400.

BUREAU OF CLEANING STREETS.

Silvanus Gedney, *Sup't of Streets*.....Residence, 100 Sullivan street.
Edw'd Green, *Clerk of* " ..... " 524 Greenwich st.

BUREAU OF MARKETS.

Thomas C. Gould, *Sup't of Markets*.....Res. 43 Tompkins street.
Simeon Outwater, *Clerk of Washington Mar.* " 187 Chambers street.
Levi Folsom, *Deputy* " " " " 200 Washington street.
Hiram Corwin, *Clerk of Fulton Market*..... " 91 South street.
Wm. F. Clark " *Catharine* " ..... " 117 Madison street.
Allen Thomas, " *Essex* " ..... " 108 Essex street.
Hyatt Lyons, " *Union* " ..... " — Columbia street
Wm. E. Smith, " *Jefferson* " ..... " 100 Greenwich lane.
John Vandewater, " *Tompkins* " ..... " 13 Fourth avenue.
John Forshay " *Clinton* " ..... " Clinton Market.
Benj. St. John, " *Franklin* " ..... " 51 Pearl street.
Governeur " ..... "
Francis Degez, " *Centre* " ..... "

CROTON AQUEDUCT DEPARTMENT.

Office, Rotunda, Park.

Nicholas Dean, *President*.....Residence, 298 West 22d street.
Theodore R. De Forest, *Ass't Commissioner* " 296 West 22d street.
Alfred W. Craven, *Chief Engineer*..... " 54 Pacific st. Brook'n.
Edward H. Tracy, *Engineer*..... " Carlton House, B'way.
Henry L. Robertson, *Clerk to President*... " 120 Essex street.
Edmund E. Dean, *General Clerk*..... " 298 West 22d street.
John J. Concklin, *Messenger*..... " 498 Hudson street.
John D. Vanburk, *do Engineer's Office* " 618 Broadway.
Daniel Adamson, *Sup't Croton Dam*..... " Croton Dam.
James Scott, *do Sing Sing*..... " Sing Sing.
Barney See, *do Tarrytown*..... " Tarrytown.
James Bremner, *do Dobb's Ferry*..... " Dobb's Ferry.
James Berwick, *do Yonkers*..... " Yonkers.
John L. Berrian, *do Fordham*..... " Fordham.
Jacob Moore, *do High Bridge*..... " High Bridge.
John Geery, *do Rec. Reservoir*.... " Rec. Res., Yorkville.
Simeon Pomeroy, *do Dist. do* .... " 39th st. be. 3d & 4th av.

BUREAU OF WATER RENTS.

Revo C. Hance, *Register*.....Residence, 145 Greene street.
William Fardon, *Asst. Register*,..... " 83 Henry street.
William V. Lecount, *Clerk to Register*.... " 457 Grand street.
John M. Morenus " " .... " 474 Broadway.
Gilbert H. White, " " .... " 223 Broome street.
Seymour V. Moody, " " .... " 270 Bleecker street.
Thomas Hook, " " .... " 83 Warren street.

BUREAU OF PIPES AND SEWERS.

John P. Flender. *Water Purveyor*.....Residence, 164 Elm street.
Alexander F. Dodge, *Sewer Cont. Clerk*... " 111 Seventh street.
James Gulick, *Foreman Proving Yard*,... " 24th st., East river.
Nicholas C. Robertson, *Turncock*..... " 40 Pitt street.
George W. Smock, *Asst.* " ..... " 108 Suffolk street.

TAX COMMISSIONERS.

Office, No. 7 City Hall Place.

Jonathan W. Allen.....Residence, 136 Thompson street.
John Delamater..... " 205 Tenth avenue.
George H Purser..... " 43 Oak street.
J. Andrews..... " 6th av. and 27th st.
George W. Dilks..... " 122 Macdougal street.
A. Kummel..... " — —

CITY INSPECTOR'S DEPARTMENT.

Office, No. 10 New City Hall, [Basement.]

Alfred W. White, *City Inspector*,.....Residence, 379 Houston street.
Charles Riddle, *Deputy* " ..... " 143 West 21st st.,
Samuel A. Van Derlip, *Clerk to City Insp.* " 169 East Broadway.
Bernard H. Romans, *Temporary Clk to do.* " 82 Warren street.

HEALTH WARDENS.

1st Ward...William B. Deforest.
2d " ...E. Wheelan.
3d " ...A. Bates.
4th " ...W. H. Adams.
5th " ...G. W. Morton.
6th " ...Patrick Coyle.
7th " ...James Wilmore.
8th " ...David Trupant.
9th " ...A. S. Cronck,
10th " ...John Stiles.
11th Ward..W. H. Brigham.
12th " ..T. T. Jackson.
13th " ..J. M. Griffith.
14th " ..J. R. Degez.
15th " ..Jacob Acker.
16th " ..H. T. Jollie.
17th " ..R. Dearborn.
18th " ..E. P. Miller.
19th " ..William Halden.

ALMS-HOUSE DEPARTMENT.

BOARD OF GOVERNORS.

Office, Rotunda, Park.

Patrick Henry	1 year.
John J. Herrick	1 "
Simeon Draper	2 "
Francis R. Tillou	2 "
Jonathan I. Coddington	3 "
William M. Evarts	3 "
Richard S. Williams	4 "
Timothy Daly	4 "
Schureman Halsted	5 "
Peter McLoughlin	5 "

Mr. Draper is the President, and Mr. Tillou the Secretary of the Board.

Edward B. Corwin, *Chief Clerk.* Joshua Philips, *Clerk to Governors.*
John Stephens, *Supply Clerk.*

The Officers of the Institutions under their charge, are as follows:

Alms-House.

John Fitch, *Warden.*
Thomas J. Marshall, *Clerk.*
John Ahern, *Register Clerk.*
Elijah T. Simpson, *Engineer.*
Eliza Heaton, *Matron.*
Elizabeth Brown, *Assist. Matron.*
Margaret Keating, *Help.*
James Gelson, *Capt. Dead Boat.*
George Grassell, *Gardener.*

Bellevue Hospital.

Charles Sutton, *Acting Warden.*
John Frey, *Apothecary.*
Eliza Hegeman, *Matron.*
Jane King, *Nurse.*
Stephen Smith, Eusebius L. Jones, } *House Surgeons.*
Richard H. Alexander, Frederick Nash, Wm. Hyslop, } *House Physicians.*
John Moneypenny, Henry K. Olmstead, Charles H. Rawson, James B. Adams, Aaron P. Dalrymple, } *Senior Surgeons.*
Henry Harrison, *Assistant Clerk.*
Nine Orderlies.
Thirty Nurses.

City Prison.

William Edmonds, *Warden.*
George F. Coachman, *Clerk.*
John C. Covel, *Physician.*
John Gray, *Deputy*
Alexander Jackson, "
Peter Crosby, "
Charles M. Hoople, "
Lewis M. Halloran, "
Adam C. Flannagan, *Deputy.*
John D. Lindon, "
Flora Foster, *Matron.*
Phebe E. Grundy, *Asst. Matron.*
Anna McHugh, *Night* "
John H. Coachman, *Night Watch.*
Benjamin C. Sparks, *Driver.*

Second District Prison.

Asa Butman, *Deputy Keeper.*
William Earl, *Deputy Keeper.*

Third District Prison.

Edward J. Oliver, *Deputy Keeper.*
Thomas Ahern, " "
Mathew Daly, *Special Deputy.*

Lunatic Asylum.

Moses H. Ranney, *Resident Phys'n.*
James C. Rutherford, *Clerk.*
Tetus Searle, *Chaplain.*
Bernard Gormley, *Engineer.*
Patrick Weir, *Gardener.*
Allen McLean, *Attendant.*
A. Clinton Pinckney, "
Edward Robellas, "
Thomas D. Jones, "
Michael Cordial, *Watchman.*
Frances Vidal, *Matron.*
Alice Fraser, *Attendant.*
Mary Goodwin, "
Margaret Ray, "
Bridget McGarry, "
Margaret Riley, "
Mary Mott, "
Amelia Neff, "
Mary Walsh, *Sewing Room.*

Out Door Department.

George Kellock, Jr., *Superintend't.*
George B. Gilbert, *Clerk.*
Sparhawk Parsons, "
John Ormond, "
John McGrath, *Visitor.*
Joel Platt, "
James Quackinbush, *Visitor.*
John Mullane, *Hearse Driver.*
Robert McDade, *Assist.* "
William Saul, " "
Godfrey Keifer, *Door Keeper.*
John Brewer, *Inspector of Beef.*

Penitentiary.

Joseph Keen, *Warden.*
William B. Flagler, *Clerk.*
Jacob H. Ribabock, *Dep. Warden.*
Robert McGee, *Shoemaker.*
Owen L. Lamb, *Blacksmith.*
William W. Dow, *Carpenter.*
Philip E. Brown, *Quarryman.*
Hezekiah Brainard, "
Abraham H. Quick, *Mason.*
James Cushing, *Stone Cutter.*
Joshua Sherwood, *Farmer.*
William Baush, *Keeper.*
Jeremiah Fowler, "
Isaac Britton, "
John De Mott, "
Charles Graham, "
Thomas Kelly, *Keeper.*
T. C. Shadbolt, "
Quincy Stowell, "
Phenix Seaman, "
Henry Minard, "
Peter Kennedy, "
Michael Smith, "
William McKenna, "
John Hackett, "
John H. Brown, "
John Schureman, *Assist. Carpenter.*
Ann P. Batey, *Matron.*
Mary W. Raymond, "
Sarah Bird, "
John P. Curran, *Keeper.*
John P. Flynn, "

Penitentiary Hospital.

William Kelly, *Resident Physician.*
Stephen Rogers, *Assist.* "
James U. Church, " "
Isaac P. Foot, " "
William Law, " "
Mark Blumenthal, *Apothecary.*
Sarah Knox, *Matron.*
Ellen Buckley, "
Mary Cunningham, *Cook.*

Randall's Island.

Jonathan Steams, *Warden.*
Isaac W. Halff, *Clerk.*
Norman Squires, *Farmer.*
Griffith Griffiths, *Coxswain.*
Rufus Ripley, *Keeper.*
Ebenezer Jessup, *Engineer.*
Jane Ley, *Matron.*
Elizabeth Hammond, *Ass't. Matron.*
Margaret W. Frost, "
Leah E. Strang, "
Susan L. Clifford, *Play Room.*
Catharine Goodenough, *Sew'g Room.*
Mary Baldwin, *Nurse.*
Ann Brady, *Wash-house.*
Henry N. Whittelsey, *Resid't Phys.*
James H. Trumbull, *Assist.* "
Mary Strong, *Matron.*
Bridget Byron, *Assistant Matron.*
Angeline Henry, " "
Margaret Mess, *Nurse.*
Catharine Hughes, "
Ann Palmer, "
Thomas B. Tappan, *Store Keeper.*

Store-House---Randall's Island.

Neamiah P. Anderson, *Store Keeper.* Stephen M. Drew, *Clerk.*

Work-House---Randall's Island.

Harmon Eldridge, *Superintendent.*
Charles W. Smith, *Clerk.*
James Kennedy, *Baker.*
Cornelius L. Purdy, *Carpenter.*
John H. Stevens, *Shoemaker.*
Charles E. Martin, *Keeper.*
Joshua Hodgson, "
Timothy Daly, "

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office, New City Hall.

Henry E. Davies, *Counsel to the Corporation*..Residence, 33 Clinton Place.
A. J. Willard, *First Clerk*..... " 224 West 22d st.
Henry H. Anderson, *Second Clerk*..... " 29 Bleecker st.

BUREAU OF CORPORATION ATTORNEY.

Office, No. 4 New City Hall, (Basement.)

Theodore E. Tomlinson, *Corporation Attorney*..Residence, 33 Seventh st.
D. T. Walden, jr., *Clerk*..... " ——— ———
Henry C. Banks, " ..... " Park Place.

BUREAU OF THE PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

Office, No. 7 Nassau street.

James S. Thayer, *Public Administrator*.....Residence, 721 Broadway.

Printers to the Board of Aldermen and Assistants, (by contract.)

McSpedon & Baker.....25 Pine street.

Printers to the Departments, (by contract.)

Bowne & Co.....149 Pearl street.

Stationers to the Corporation, (by contract.)

Arthur & Burnet.....61 Wall street.

Regulator of Public Clocks.

James W. Faulkner.....Corner Grand street and Broadway.

WARD OFFICERS.

FIRST WARD.

Assessors.	*Constables.*
Charles Gannon,	Charles Daly,
Sebastian Kohlhepp.	John Bayard.

SECOND WARD.

William G. Dunlap,	Herman Eikie,
Frederick Gilmore.	William Thompson.

THIRD WARD.

Nathaniel Bassett,	Andrew Nisbet,
Archibald T. Cochrane.	John Hamblin.

FOURTH WARD.

Charles H. Holladay,	Emanuel Josephs,
William Denman.	William Cook.

FIFTH WARD.

William Scott,	Joseph Jenkins,
Charles McGowan.	Charles F. Watts.

SIXTH WARD.

Thomas Gilmartin,	Melchior F. Behrle,
Patrick Breaden.	Theodore Timolat.

SEVENTH WARD.

A. S. W. Van Duersen,	Joseph W. Jones,
Luther Richards.	Daniel Klauberg.

EIGHTH WARD.

Theodore Kelly,	William B. Jones,
William McClellan.	Joseph C. Divine.

NINTH WARD.

Robert Peterson,	Benjamin D. Wisner,
Oliver T. Wardell.	William Kingler.

TENTH WARD.

John Carr,	John B Carter,
James Griffiths.	Henry H. Hoffman.

ELEVENTH WARD.

Peter G. Sherman,	Henry Dreher,
Lewis S. Penney.	Gilbert Weeks.

TWELFTH WARD.

Assessors.	*Constables.*
Charles Boice,	John Helms,
Peter Randell.	Abraham H. Garrett.

THIRTEENTH WARD.

John B. Peck,	David Saffin,
Oliver S. Powell.	Peter G. Vanderhoff.

FOURTEENTH WARD.

Thomas Hassett,	Nathaniel Finch,
Henry P. West.	James Cole.

FIFTEENTH WARD.

Isaac M. Phyfe,	James King,
Henry Swords.	James Hastin.

SIXTEENTH WARD.

John McIntyre,	Cornelius R. Chichester,
John Thompson.	William B. Chapman.

SEVENTEENTH WARD.

William R. Loudon,	George Bush,
George Schwartz.	Varnum S. Mills.

EIGHTEENTH WARD.

Samuel F. Betts,	Henry Bishop,
Edward Gray.	Charles W. Jennings.

NINETEENTH WARD.

Charles Gillespie,	Micajah M. Staniels,
Francis R. Ball.	Joseph Wagner.

WARD JUSTICES' COURTS.

James Green, *Jus. 1st Dist.*, 1st, 2d, 3d and 5th Wards, Res. 35 Warren st.
Bartholomew O'Conner, 2*d Dist*, 4th, 6th and 14th " " Cor. Duane & [N. William sts.
William B. Meech, 3*d* " 8th and 9th " " Jeff'n Market.
Wm. H. Van Cott, 4*th* " 10th, 15th and 17th Wards, corn. Bowery [and Fourth st.
Charles H. Dougherty, 5*th* " 7th, 11th and 13th Wards, corner Grand and Clinton sts.
Anson Willis, 6*th* " 12th, 16th and 18th Wards, corner Sixth [avenue and Broadway.

J. B. Batchelor, *Clerk in Justice's Court*.....1st District.
Thos. F. Peers, " " " .....2d "
Wm. E. Smith, " " " .....3d "
David Seaman " " " .....4th "
Edw. McPherson, " " " .....5th "
John Waite, " " " .....6th "

COUNTY OFFICERS.

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

No. 10 City Hall.

George W. Riblet, *Clerk.*
William H. Riblet, *Deputy Clerk.*
Thomas H. Stoneall, *Assistant Deputy Clerk.*
David A. Fowler, *Clerk Supreme Court in Equity.*
G. McDonald, *Clerk Supreme Court at Law.*
William Sinclair, *Assistant Clerk Supreme Court at Law.*
A. C. Gridley, *Clerk Circuit Court.*
E. F. Corey, *Clerk First Part Common Pleas.*
Samuel Brown, *Clerk Second Part do.*
James Nack, *First Searcher.*
E. A. Fraser, *Assistant Searcher.*
John H. Elliott, *do.*
Peter Lemon, *do.*
John Harper, *Book Keeper.*
Worthington Hodgkinson, *Naturalization Clerk.*
John D. Hoyt, *Clerk Chambers Common Pleas.*
L. P. Hudson, *do. Supreme do.*
William H. Aldis, *Recording Clerk.*
William Haviland, *do.*
William Armstrong, *Clerk Special Term.*
Joseph B. Hart, *Recording Clerk.*
Thomas C. Acton, *do.*
William Patterson, *Exemption Clerk.*

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

No. 11 City Hall.

Thomas Carnley	*High Sheriff*.....	Residence,	Carmansville.
T. R. McDonough,	*Under do*.....	"	137 Allen street.
William S. Wood,	*Dep. do*.....	"	169 Mott st. & 110 Bowery.
Abraham T. Hillyer,	*do*.....	"	13 University place.
James Morris,	*Deputy do*.....	"	119 Seventh street.
William P. Sell,	*do*.....	"	30 Greenwich street.
Mathew H. Chase,	*do*.....	"	68 Stanton street.
William B. Drake,	*do*.....	"	43d st. near Eighth avenue.
Samuel A. Cunningham,	*do*.....	"	62 Jane street.
James R. Terry,	*do*.....	"	38 Pike street.
James Marrener,	*do*.....	"	532 Greenwich street.
Robert L. Rue,	*Jailor*.....	"	22 Eldridge street.
Wm. B. Lown,	*Special, for convey'g prisoners,*		183 Chambers street.

SHERIFF'S JURY FOR 1851, 1852,

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Office, No. 1 and 2 Hall of Records.

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Philip H. Jonas, *Collector*.....	"	255 Elizabeth st.
George Mortimer, *Rec. Clerk*.....	"	16 Wooster street.
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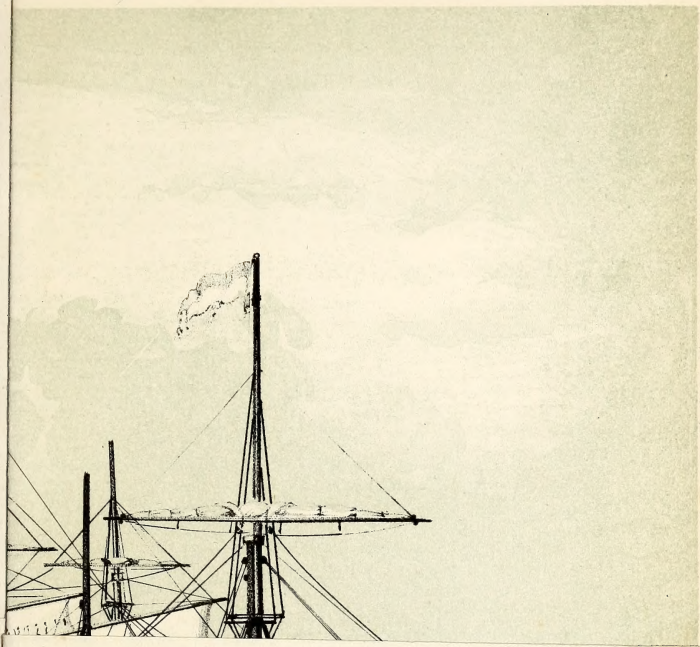

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POLICE DEPARTMENT.

AN ACT

FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT AND REGULATION OF THE POLICE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

PASSED MAY 7, 1844, BY A TWO-THIRD VOTE.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

ARTICLE I—OF POLICE.

§ 3. The Corporation, by ordinance, shall divide the city into two or more Police Districts, in each of which districts shall be established a Police Court and office.

§ 4. The business of the Police Courts, in two of said police districts, shall be conducted by the Police Courts now established by law, in and for said city; and if the city shall be divided into more than two police districts, the Police Court which shall be established for such additional district, shall possess all the powers, and be subject to all the laws relating to the police courts now established in and for said city. The Corporation, by ordinance, shall prescribe the time and place for holding such courts, and shall designate the magistrates and clerks for each police district.

§ 7. Captains of Police, within their respective districts, shall be Street Inspectors, Health Wardens, Fire Wardens, and Dock Masters; and in the Twelfth Ward, in addition thereto, shall be Superintendent of Roads; such Captains, aided and assisted by the Assistant Captains of Police and policemen, shall do and perform all the duties heretofore performed by the several officers in this section mentioned.

§ 10. In case of the absence of the Captain, the duties required of him shall be performed by the first Assistant Captain, and in his absence, by the second Assistant Captain, who, while acting in such capacity, shall possess and exercise the powers and rights of such captain.

§ 11. At any alarm of fire, it shall be the duty of the Captain of Patrol nearest the scene of conflagration, forthwith to proceed to the same, with one half of the number of policemen off duty, to be diligent in preserving order and protecting property. In case of any riot, or any sudden emergency, requiring the services of the police, on notice being given, the Captain of Police shall forthwith proceed to the scene of riot, with the whole of the police off duty, or any part thereof, and be vigilant in suppressing the same.

§ 16. A room shall be provided at each Police Court, for the deposit and preservation of property brought to said court. One of the clerks of said court, under the direction of the magistrates, shall be charged with the safe keeping of said property.

§ 17. The Mayor shall detail from the policemen a sufficient number to attend upon the Police Courts, serve the process of said courts, and to attend upon other courts of the city.

ARTICLE II—OF CHIEF OF POLICE.

§ 1. The offices of Inspector of Hacks, Omnibuses, Cabs, and Public Porters, Inspector and Deputy Inspector of Stages, Inspector of Carts, Keepers of Lands and Places, are hereby abolished; and all the duties performed by said officers, shall be performed by the Chief of Police, aided and assisted by the Captains of Police, Assistant Captains of Police, and by the policemen, in pursuance of the rules and regulations of the Mayor, in accordance with the laws of the state and the ordinances of the Common Council.

§ 2. The Chief of Police in and for the city and county of New York, shall possess the powers of a special justice of the Police Court, to entertain complaints in all cases where crimes have been committed; to issue a precept for the arrrest of the person charged with having committed a crime, and to commit the person arrested for examination, such examination to be taken by officers now authorized to take such examinations; and in all such cases shall proceed in the same manner, and be governed by all laws relating to Police Justices in like cases; and shall also possess all the powers now possessed by Marshals appointed by the Mayor of the city of New York; he shall (subordinate to the Mayor) be the chief executive of the Police Department; he shall obey, and cause the Police Department under him to obey the rules and regulations prescribed by the Mayor, in accordance with the laws of the United States, of this state, and the ordinances of the Common Council; he shall repair to the scenes of fires and riots, and take command of the police present, and may direct any, or all of the police of the city of New York, to any place where their services may be deemed necessary.

§ 3. The Chief of Police shall have his office in the Mayor's office.

ARTICLE III—OF APPOINTMENTS AND REMOVALS.

§ 2. All vacanies in the office of the Chief of Police, shall be filled in the same manner, and for the residue of the term.

§ 5. The Mayor shall, at least every three months, report to the Common Council, the state of the police in practical operation, with such information in his possession as may promote the welfare and efficiency of the department, with such suggestions as he may deem proper.

§ 7. There shall be kept in the Mayor's office, a book, in which shall be entered the name of the Chief of Police, of each captain, assistant captain, and policeman of each ward; the time of his appointment; the period for which he is appointed, and the time his office will expire; the time of any removal from office, or the recurring of a vacancy.

§ 8. The Chief of Police, Captains, Assistant Captains, and Policemen, shall subscribe, and take before the Mayor, the constitutional oath of office, which oath shall be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Common Council.

ARTICLE IV—COMPENSATION OF OFFICERS.

§ 3. In cases of complaints for assaults and batteries, the Magistrate may require that the complainant pay the fees heretofore authorized by law. In case the examination shows that the complaint is just and legal, the Magistrate shall return such fees to the complainant. Should such complaint be frivolous or malicious and untrue, the Magistrate may charge to the complainant, and receive from him all the costs and fees now authorized in such proceedings, which costs and fees shall be paid to the clerks, who shall monthly pay all such fees into the city treasury, accompanying such payment with an affidavit or affirmation, that the sums so paid, are all the fees received by them, for any matter or cause specified in this section.

§ 4 In the city and county of New York, except by the first and two Associate Judges of the Court of Common Pleas, there shall be no costs or fees charged or received upon any proceedings upon writs of habeas corpus, either by the Judge or Commissioner granting them, or by the officer serving them, or the jailer obeying their orders; and the judge, before whom the matter shall be heard, shall, if the case be bailable, and the amount of bail shall have been fixed by the committing magistrate, only determine whether the party is lawfully committed, or is legally chargeable with the offence imputed, and shall not adjudicate upon the question of bail The amount of bail ordered by the committing magistrate, shall in such cases only, be altered by a court having jurisdiction of the offence for which the prisoner was committed; and any officer violating the provisions of this section, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be subject to the pains and penalties for such offence; the first Judge and Assistant Judges of the Court of Common Pleas in and for the city of New York, may charge the fees now allowed by law in such cases.

§ 5. The salaries of Captains, Assistant Captains and Patrolmen, shall be paid by the Comptroller, by warrant, semi-monthly. The Captains of the Patrol shall receive the pay of the patrolmen, and pay the same over to them as often as received, and immediately on the receipt thereof, and account therefor in such manner as shall be prescribed by ordinance of the Common Council. The Captains and Assistant Captains of Patrol, shall give bonds for the faithful performance of all duties enjoined on them by this law, in the sum of three thousand dollars each, to be approved of by the Mayor and Comptroller. The Clerks of the Police shall give bonds with the like condition, to be approved in the like manner, in the penal sum of one thousand dollars.

§ 6. All ordinances, parts of ordinances, resolutions and acts, now in force, and inconsistent with this act, shall be, and the same are hereby repealed.

§ 7. The powers and duties of the officers abolished by this act, shall be possessed and performed by them, until the officers created by virtue of this act are appointed and enter upon their respective duties.

§ 8. All cognizances given to answer to a charge preferred, or for good behavior, or to appear and testify in all cases cognizable before Courts of Criminal Jurisdiction, on being forfeited, shall be filed by the District Attorney, together with a certified copy of the order of the court forfeiting the same, in the office of the Clerk of the said city and county, and thereupon the said clerk shall docket the same in the book kept by him for docketing of judgments, transcripts whereof are filed with him as such clerk, as if the same was the transcript of a judgment record for the

amount of the penalty; and the recognizance and certified copy of the order forfeiting the recognizance, shall be the judgment record; such judgment shall in good faith be a lien on the real estate of the persons entering into such recognizance, from the time of filing said recognizance and copy, order, and docketing the same, as in this section directed; an execution may be issued to collect the amount of said recognizance in the same form as upon a judgment recovered in the Court of Common Pleas of said city and county, in an action of debt, in favor of the people against the persons entering into such cognizance.

§ 9. All the costs and fees to be charged for entering such judgment, and filing the necessary papers, shall be the usual fees to the clerk for filing papers and entering rules; the District Attorney shall receive no fee or compensation for his services in the matter, his salary being deemed compensation for all such services.

§ 10. No member of the Police Department, nor any Magistrate or Police officer, shall receive any present or reward for services rendered, or to be rendered, unless with the knowledge and approbation of the Mayor; such approbation to be given in writing, and entered in a book to be kept in the Mayor's office. Any officer who shall receive any present or reward, in violation of this section, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall also be removed from office.

§ 11. In cases of offiences committed in the city and county of New York, upon persons being at the time of the offence committed in the said city and county, and being non-residents of the said city and county, either upon the person of such non-residents, or by taking or receiving from such non-residents money or property, the District Attorney may apply to any Judge of the said city and county, possessing the power of a Supreme Court Commissioner, for an order to take the testimony, *de bene esse*, of all witnesses in the matter being in, but not residing in said city and county; such Judge, in his discretion, may grant an order so to take such testimony, which order shall specify the length of notice of such examination that shall be given to the accused. The District Attorney shall serve upon the accused the notice so directed by such Judge; the witness shall be examined in the presence of the accused; his direct and cross-examination shall be reduced to writing in questions and answers, and shall be signed by the witness, and certified by the Judge. The examination shall, by the officer taking the same, be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Sessions in the city and county of New York, and may be used before the Grand Jury, and all courts and tribunals having jurisdiction of the subject matter, in the same manner, and with the like effect, as the witness could be, was he personally present upon the trial of the accused; all questions may be raised to the admissibility of the testimony of the witness, and to questions and answers that could be raised to witness and his examination in open court.

§ 12. Such accused may, in like manner, on his part, on such notice given to the District Attorney, take the examination of non-resident witnesses, to be filed in the same office, and to be used with the like effect, subject to similar objections.

§ 13. There shall be no costs or fees charged by any Judge or officer, in ordering, taking, or filing such examinations, except by the first Judge, and Assistant Judges of the Court of Common Pleas, who may charge and receive the same fees now allowed by law for taking examinations of witnesses.

§ 14. Sections four, eight, nine, ten, eleven, twelve and thirteen of Article IV. of this act, shall take effect immediately.

§ 15. All the other parts of this act shall take effect whenever the Mayor and Common Council of the city of New York, after the 15th day of May, 1844, shall by ordinance, adopt this act; a certified copy of such ordinance shall be sent to, and filed in the office of the Secretary of State, and a copy of the same shall be filed in the office of the Clerk of the city and county of New York, ten days before this act shall take effect. This act shall not be construed as requiring the Mayor and Common Council to adopt it

The above includes all of the law not repealed by the provisions of the Act of 1846.

AN ACT

TO AMEND AN ACT ENTITLED "AN ACT FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT AND REGULATION OF THE POLICE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK." PASSED MAY 7TH, 1844.

PASSED MAY 13TH, 1846, BY A TWO-THIRDS VOTE.

The People of the state of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

ARTICLE I.—OF POLICE.

§ 1. The Watch Department, as at present organized, is hereby abolished, together with the office of Marshals, Street Inspectors, Health Wardens, Fire Wardens, Dock Masters, Day Police officers, Sunday officers, Inspectors of Pawn Brokers' and Junk shops, and of the officers to attend the polls at the several election districts of the city and county of New York, and Superintendent of Roads of the Twelfth Ward of said city, except the office of Mayor's or First Marshal.

§ 2. In lieu of the Watch Department, and the various officers mentioned in the foregoing section, there shall be established a night and day police, of not to exceed nine hundred men, including Captains, Assistant Captains, Sergeants and Policemen.

§ 3. The Police Department shall consist of the following officers:—Chief of Police, Captains and Assistant Captains of Police, Sergeants of Police, Policemen and Doormen.

§ 4. Each ward of the city of New York shall be a patrol district. The Corporation shall provide in each patrol district suitable accommodation for the patrol of such district, to be designated "Police Station-house." The patrol of each district shall consist of one Captain of Police, a first and second Assistant Captain of Police, two or more Sergeants, and such number of Policemen as shall be appointed to the ward or district, by an ordinance of the Common Council.

§ 5. The Captains, Assistant Captains, Sergeants and Policemen, shall, in and for the city of New York, possess all the power now possessed by Marshals appointed by the Mayor of the city and county of New York, except they shall not be entitled to execute civil process.

§ 6. The Captains, Assistant Captains, Sergeants and Policemen of each district, in accordance with rules and regulations prescribed by the Mayor, in conformity to the laws of the state and the ordinances of the Corporation, shall watch and guard the district, day and night, and protect the polls at elections.

§ 7. The Chief of Police, Captains, Assistant Captains, Sergeants and Policemen shall carry a suitable emblem or device, by which they may, when necessary, make themselves known.

§ 8. It shall be the duty of the Sergeants and Policemen to obey such orders as they may, from time to time, receive from the Chief of Police, Captains and Assistant Captains of Police, respecting their duty; and to report, through the Captains and Assistant Captains, to the Chief of Police, all violations of the Corporation ordinances; to preserve the public peace; and it shall be the duty of the policemen to render every assistance and facility to ministers and officers of justice, and to report to the Captains of their respective districts, all suspicious persons, all bawdy houses, receiving shops, pawnbrokers' shops, junk shops, second hand dealing shops, gaming houses, and all places where idlers, tipplers, gamblers, and other disorderly and suspicious persons congregate; to caution strangers and others against going into such places, and against pick-pockets, watch stuffers, droppers, mock-auctioneers, burners, and all other vicious persons; to direct strangers and others the nearest and safest way to their places of destination, and when necessary, to cause them to be accompanied to their destination by one of the police, and to perform all other duties which shall be prescribed to them by ordinance of the Corporation.

§ 9. The Clerks in each police office shall keep a proper book or books, in which shall be entered at length, a description of each and every article stolen, or other property which shall be brought to said offices, or which shall be taken from prisoners, and what disposition has been made thereof; and they shall attach a number to each and every article, and enter a corresponding number in said books. They shall also keep a receipt book for property delivered from said office; also, a book to contain a statement of known burglaries, larcenies, and stolen property; a correct transcript of which last mentioned book shall be furnished each and every day to the Chief of Police, and perform any official service required of them by the Special Justice.

§ 10. Punctual attendance shall be required of every officer and patrolman connected with the department, on all occasions; sickness and disability only shall be an excuse for absence from duty, to be proved by the affidavit or affirmation in writing of the party, that he was actually sick or disabled, and unable to do duty by reason of such sickness or disability; and it shall be competent for the captain of the district to administer the oath or affirmation.

§ 11. Any person or persons who shall falsely represent any of the members of the Police Department of the city of New York, or who shall maliciously, with intent to deceive, use or imitate any of the signs, signals or devices, adopted and used by the Police Department, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be punished by a fine not less than five, nor more than two hundred and fifty dollars, or by imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months.

Article II.—Of Appointments and Removals.

§ 1. The Chief of Police shall be nominated by the Mayor to the Common Council, and, with their approval, shall be appointed by the Mayor.

The Chief of Police must be a citizen of the United States, a citizen of the state of New York, and an actual resident of the city and county of New York. He shall hold his office for two years, unless sooner removed from office for cause. His removal from the city and county shall vacate his office.

§ 2. All vacancies in the office of Chief of Police shall be filled in the same manner.

§ 3. The Aldermen and Assistant Aldermen of each ward shall nominate to the Mayor one Captain, one first Assistant Captain, one second Assistant Captain of Police, and as many policemen as the ward may be entitled to; the Mayor may appoint all or any of the persons thus nominated. Should the Mayor reject any such nominations, other persons shall in like manner be nominated to the Mayor for such places. Each of said persons, so nominated, must be a citizen of the United States, of the state of New York, and a resident of the ward for which he may be nominated. All vacancies in any of said offices shall be filled in like manner. Removal from the ward shall vacate either of said offices. The Captains, Assistant Captains and Policemen, shall hold their offices for two years from the date of their appointment, unless sooner removed under this act. The Captains of Police of the several Patrol districts shall appoint suitable policemen to perform the duties of Sergeants of Police.

§ 4. The Chief of Police and the Captains of the Police shall have power to suspend policemen from office for cause; and the judges and justices shall have the like power in reference to policemen attending their courts. In all such cases of suspension, the officer making the suspension shall, within twenty-four hours thereafter, notify the Mayor of such suspension in writing, which notice shall specify the grounds of such suspension, and contain the names of the witnesses to establish the charge. The Mayor shall receive from any persons, complaints for cause against the Chief of Police, Captains, Assistant Captains, Sergeants, Policemen and Doormen. In each case of suspension and complaint, the Mayor shall cause notice to the accused to be given, to afford him an opportunity to be heard in his defence. The Mayor, or in his absence, the Chief of Police, shall examine witnesses under oath or affirmation, upon the charges and in defence, and the Mayor may for cause continue the suspension, remove the accused from office, or restore him to duty. The testimony shall be reduced to writing, which testimony, together with the decision of the Mayor thereon, shall be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Common Council; but in all cases in which the suspension is continued, the party suspended shall be deprived of his pay from the date of his suspension and during the continuance of the same. The Mayor shall have power to issue subpœnas, to require the attendance of witnesses, as on the trial of such cases, and disobedience thereof shall render parties liable to the penalties provided by law in Courts of Record.

§ 5. In making appointments under this article, the Aldermen and Assistant Aldermen in each ward shall transmit to the Mayor a certificate of their nominations, which certificate, with the determination of the Mayor endorsed thereon, shall be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Common Council.

§ 6. No person connected with the Police Department shall be liable to military or jury duty.

§ 7. In case of the refusal or neglect from any cause of the Alderman and Assistant to nominate the officers for the said ward, as hereinbefore pro-

vided, within twenty days after notice of any vacancy or vacancies occurring in either or all of said offices, then it shall be the duty of the Mayor to proceed forthwith to make said appointment and to fill said vacancy or vacancies.

§ 8 The Mayor, Chief of Police, and the Special Justices, and the Captains of Police, or by their, or by either of their order, shall have power to examine the books of any pawnbroker, and also to examine under oath, the pawnbroker, his clerk or clerks, if they deem necessary, when in search of stolen property; and any person having in his possession a pawnbroker's ticket, shall, when accompanied by a policeman, or by an order from the Mayor, Chief of Police, Captain of Police, or Special Justice, be allowed to examine the property purporting to be pawned by said ticket; but no property shall be removed from the possession of any pawnbroker without process of law, required by the existing laws of this state, or the laws and ordinances of the city of New York regulating pawnbrokers.

ARTICLE III.—COMPENSATION OF OFFICERS.

§ 1. The compensation of officers and patrolmen named in this law shall be fixed by the Common Council, but shall not exceed the following sums, to wit: Chief of Police, one thousand six hundred dollars; Special Justices, one thousand five hundred dollars; Clerks of Police, eight hundred dollars; Captains of Patrols, seven hundred dollars; Assistant Captains, six hundred dollars; Sergeants and Policemen, five hundred dollars; Police officers, when sent out of the county on public business, shall be allowed all necessary expenses, upon the same being sworn to and approved by the Mayor, and allowed by the Board of Supervisors.

§ 2. No fees or compensation shall be charged or received by any magistrate, clerk, officer, policeman or constable, for the arrest of any prisoner, or for mileage, or for receiving any prisoner into the prison, or for discharging him from the same; and no fees or costs shall be charged or received for the issuing of any warrant, subpœna or other process, or for the taking of a complaint, bail, or affidavit, except as hereinafter provided. Any magistrate or officer violating the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be subject to the pains and penalties for such an offence.

§ 3. The Clerk of the Court of Sessions shall file with the Chief of Police, a copy of all recognizances given to answer to a charge preferred for any criminal offence, on the same being forfeited; and it shall be the duty of the Chief of Police to cause the same to be registered in a book to be kept for that purpose.

§ 4. It shall be the duty of the Sheriff, in all cases of forfeited recognizances, placed by the District Attorney with him for collection, to report to the Chief of Police the moneys collected on such judgments, immediately after the receipt of the same; and in case the amount of the judgment cannot be collected upon any forfeited recognizances, he shall immediately, after the expiration of the time limited by law for making such collections, make a return of the same, with the causes of failure, to the Chief of Police, who shall, in all cases mentioned, enter into the book aforesaid the result thereof, opposite to the names of the persons who had become bail in such cases.

§ 5. Upon receiving information from the Sheriff of failure to collect the amount of any forfeited recognizances, from the person or persons who had

become bail in such case, the Chief of Police shall notify the Court of Sessions and the Police Courts of the names of such persons, and it shall be the duty of the Clerks of said courts, to register the same, into a book to be kept in said courts for that purpose.

§ 6. No person registered as provided in the last preceding section, shall be received by any judge or magistrate, as bail for any person charged with any offence whatever; and in all cases of bail taken for persons charged with any criminal offence, the judge or magistrate taking the same, shall require the persons so becoming bail to make affidavit in writing, that they are worth the amount for which they propose to become bail, which affidavit shall also include a description of the property constituting the amount of their liability.

§ 7. No officer authorized to let to bail a person charged with any criminal offence, shall accept as bail, any member of the Police Department, Keeper, Assistant Keeper, or Turnkey, of any prison, or place of detention for persons charged with any criminal offence, or any attorney or counsellor practising in the Court of Sessions.

§ 8. No officer, other than the Committing Magistrate, shall let to bail any person charged with a criminal offence, unless notice of the application to bail such person shall have been given to the District Attorney of the city and county of New York, at least two days before such application, specifying the name of the officer, the time and place when and where such application will be made, and the names and residences of the proposed bail, and the original commitment and proofs upon which it is founded, shall have been presented to the officer to whom the application for bail is made; the persons having the custody of such commitment and proofs shall, when required, in writing, produce the same before the officer last mentioned.

§ 9. The examination of a non-resident witness, or a witness about to depart beyond the jurisdiction of the court, may, on the application of the District Attorney, or the party accused, upon his giving notice to the District Attorney, be taken in the manner provided in section eleven of article four, of the act hereby amended.

§ 10. Section twenty and twenty-one of an act, entitled "An Act relative to the powers of the Common Council of the city of New York, and the Police and Criminal Courts of said city," passed January 23d, 1833, shall apply to carts and cartmen, cabs and cabmen, hackney coaches and hackney coachmen, stages and accommodation coaches, or omnibusses and their drivers, and public porters and handcartmen.

§ 11. Sections one, two, five, six, eight, nine, twelve, fourteen and fifteen, of article first; sections one, two, three, four and six, of article third; and sections one, two and twelve, of article fourth, of the law hereby amended, are repealed.

§ 12. Nothing contained in this act shall be construed to prevent the Captains, Assistant Captains, and Policemen, already appointed under the act hereby amended, from holding their offices one year from the dates of their respective appointments.

§ 13. The Board of Supervisors of the city and county of New York, shall have power to raise by tax the sum of fifty-seven thousand five hundred dollars, to defray the expense of the increase in the number of Policemen provided for in this act, in case the Common Council shall deem such increase necessary.

§ 14. This act shall take effect on the thirteenth day of May, eighteen hundred and forty-six, except section two of article three, which shall take effect ten days after its passage.

AN ACT

IN RELATION TO JUSTICES' AND POLICE COURTS IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

PASSED MARCH 30, 1848.

The People of the state of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

§ 1. The city of New York shall be divided into six Judicial Districts, in each of which there is thereby established a court, to be called the Justices' Court of the city of New York.

§ 2. The First, Second, Third and Fifth Wards of the said city, shall constitute and be the First Judicial District; the Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards of said city, the Second Judicial District; the Eighth and Ninth Wards of said city, the Third Judicial District; the Tenth, Fifteenth and Seventeenth Wards of said city, the Fourth Judicial District; the Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards of said city, the Fifth Judicial District; and the Twelfth, Sixteenth and Eighteenth Wards of said city, the Sixth Judicial District. In each of the said districts hereby created, there shall be elected by the electors thereof, having the necessary qualifications required of a voter at any general election, a Justice to hold the court in said district.

§ 4. There shall be appointed by the Common Council of the city of New York, a Clerk of each of the Justices and Police Courts hereby established by this act, whose compensation shall be fixed by the Common Council, and who shall hold his office for four years, from the second Tuesday of May next, and their compensation shall not be increased or diminished during their continuance in office.

§ 4. All the powers and duties which by any law of this state now in force, belonging to or are vested in the present assistant justices of the city of New York and their clerks, shall hereafter belong to and be vested in the justices and clerks, to be elected or appointed by virtue of this act; and the said justices so to be elected shall have jurisdiction over, and authority to hear, try, and determine all actions of contract or tort, where the sum claimed or recovered shall not exceed the sum of one hundred dollars; and actions of replevin, where the goods sought to be recovered do not exceed the sum of fifty dollars; and all suits by and against corporations in the city of New York, where the amount in controversy shall not exceed one hundred dollars; and the said office of Assistant Justice of the city of New York, and Clerks of the said Assistant Justices' Courts, and the said Assistant Justices' Courts, from and after the second Tuesday of May, eighteen hundred and forty-eight, are hereby abolished.

§ 5. The said Justices shall be elected at the next annual charter election, to be held in the city of New York, and once in every four years

thereafter, at the annual charter election: they shall hold their respective offices for four years, and shall enter on their duties on the second Tuesday of May, after their election, respectively.

§ 6 The courts in said districts shall be held at such places in the said districts respectively, as shall be designated and provided for by the Common Council of the city of New York; and no such court or any justice thereof shall be authorized to make any process or citation returnable, nor to hear or determine any cause or matter at any place than the court room of said court.

§ 7. There shall also be elected in each of the said districts, at the same election and in the same manner, one Police Justice for the city of New York, who shall hold their offices for four years, and shall enter on their duties on the second Tuesday of May next after their election. The said Police Justices shall have all the powers, and perform all the duties of the Special Justices for preserving the peace in the city of New York; and the said offices of Special Justices for preserving the peace, and Clerks of Police as heretofore existing, are hereby abolished from and after the time when the Police Justices and Clerks elected or appointed under this act shall enter on their duties.

§ 8. The Common Council shall, by ordinance, assign such Police Justices and Clerks to such Police Offices and Police Courts, in rotation or otherwise, as the public business may require.

§ 9. The justices elected under the provisions of this act, shall receive such an annual compensation for their services as shall be fixed by the Common Council of the city of New York, which annual compensation shall be in lieu of all fees or other perquisites, and shall not be increased or diminished during their continuance in office, and shall receive no other fees or perquisites whatever, by virtue of their offices. The justices and clerks to be elected or appointed in pursuance of this act, shall, on the first day of every month, or within three days thereafter, account under oath for all fees and perquisites, if any, of every kind and description received by them by virtue of their offices, directly or indirectly, and pay the same into the treasury of the city of New York; and no justice or clerk shall perform any service for which a fee is allowed by law, until such fee is paid for the use of the city as aforesaid. The provisions of this section shall also apply to the Judges and Clerk of the Marine Court in said city, who shall, after the second Tuesday of May next, receive an annual compensation, to be fixed by the Common Council of said city.

§ 10. All the provisions of law now in force in reference to the commencement of suits, the mode of conducting them, the perfecting and obtaining satisfaction of judgments in the Assistant Justices' Courts of the city of New York, shall extend and apply to the courts established by the first section of this act.

§ 11. All the provisions of law in relation to charter elections in the city of New York, and the notices thereof, shall apply to the officers whose election is hereby provided for; and the said officers shall be voted for on one ballot, to be endorsed, "Justices," and which shall be deposited in a separate box, to be provided for that purpose by the Common Council of said city.

§ 12. The present Assistant Justices and Special Justices for preserving the peace, are hereby required, on the second Tuesday of May, eighteen hundred and forty-eight, to deliver to the respective Justices and Police Justices elected under this act, all their official papers and documents, and

all papers and documents connected with any suits or proceedings, which shall then be pending and undetermined in their respective courts: and the Justices and Police Justices elected under this act, are hereby authorized to receive and demand the same; and such suits and proceedings so pending and undetermined, shall be continued before the said Justices and Police Justices so elected, with the same effect and virtue as though before the said Assistant Justices, and present Special Justices for preserving the peace; and all judgments rendered, may be executed by process to be issued by said Justices. The courts hereby created, may issue all process necessary or proper to carry into effect the purposes of this act; and all constables and other officers, are hereby authorized to perform all the duties, and to receive the fees in the courts hereby created, which they were authorized to perform in the courts hereby abolished, and may serve all process issued by said courts hereby created.

§ 13. This act shall take effect immediately.

AN ACT

TO AMEND AN ACT, ENTITLED "AN ACT TO AMEND AN ACT, ENTITLED AN ACT FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT AND REGULATION OF THE POLICE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK." PASSED MAY 13, 1846.

PASSED APRIL 11, 1849, THREE-FIFTHS BEING PRESENT.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

§ 1. The tenth section of article first, of the act entitled "An act to amend an act, entitled an act for the establishment and regulation of the police of the city of New York," passed May 13, 1846, is hereby amended, so as to read as follows:

§ 10. Punctual attendance shall be required of every officer, patrolman and doorman, connected with the department on all occasions; but nothing herein contained shall be construed to prevent the Mayor from relieving captains, sergeants, policemen and doormen from duty for a limited time. The Mayor may also authorize captains to relieve sergeants, policemen and doormen from duty for a limited time. No compensation shall be allowed to such officers, patrolmen or doormen, for any period during which they may be absent from duty, except by the Mayor, in cases in which he shall be satisfied that the absence was consequent upon disease or injury contracted in the public service.

§ 2. The sixteenth section of article first, is hereby amended, so as to read as follows:

§ 16. A room shall be provided at each police court, for the deposit and preservation of all property brought to said court. One of the clerks of said courts, under the direction of the magistrates, shall be charged with the safe keeping of said property. It shall be the duty of any magistrate or clerk with whom any such deposit shall be made, to give a receipt in writing describing the same, for such property, to any officer or other person making such deposit or bringing in such property.

§ 3. The first section of article second of said act, is hereby amended, so as to read as follows:

§ 1. The Chief of Police shall be nominated by the Mayor to the Common Council, and with their approval shall be appointed by the Mayor. The Chief of Police must be a citizen of the United States, a citizen of the State of New York, and an actual resident of the city and county of New York. He shall hold his office during the term of the Mayor, and thirty days thereafter, unless sooner removed for cause. His removal from the city and county shall vacate his office.

§ 4. The third section of article second of said act, is hereby amended, so as to read as follows, viz.:

§ 3. The Alderman and Assistant Alderman of each ward, shall nominate to the Mayor, one captain, one first assistant captain, one second assistant captain of police, and as many policemen as the ward shall be entitled to. The Mayor may appoint all or any of the persons thus nominated. Should the Mayor reject any such nominations, other persons shall in like manner be nominated for such places. Each of said persons so nominated, must be a citizen of the United States, of the State of New York, and a resident of the ward for which he may be nominated. All vacancies in any of said offices shall be filled in like manner. Removal from the ward shall vacate either of said offices. The captains, assistant captains and policemen, hereafter to be appointed, shall hold their offices for four years from the date of their appointment, unless sooner removed under this act. The captains of police of the several patrol districts, shall appoint suitable policemen to perform the duties of sergeants of police.

§ 5. The fourth section of article second of said act, is hereby amended, so as to read as follows, viz.:

§ 4. The Chief of Police and the Captain of the Police shall have power to suspend policemen from office for cause, and the Judges and Justices shall have like power in reference to policemen attending their courts. In all such cases of suspension, the officer making the suspension shall, within twenty-four hours thereafter, notify the Mayor of such suspension in writing, which notice shall specify the grounds for such suspension, and contain the names of the witnesses to establish the charge. The Mayor shall receive from any person, complaints for cause against the Chief of Police, captains, assistant captains, policemen and doormen. In each case of suspension and complaint, the Mayor shall cause notice to the accused to be given, to afford him an opportunity to be heard in his defence. The Mayor, or in his absence, the Chief of Police, (except in case of charges against himself,) shall examine witnesses under oath or affirmation, upon the charges and in defence, and the Mayor may, for cause, continue the suspension, remove the accused from office, or restore him to duty. In all cases in which the suspension is continued, the party suspended shall be deprived of his pay from the date of his suspension, and during the continuance of the same; but he shall not, at any time, be exempted from the performance of duty, unless the officer making such suspension shall so expressly order; unless and until such order be made, a suspension under this section shall only mean a suspension from pay. The testimony to be reduced to writing, and the same, together with the decision of the Mayor thereon, shall be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Common Council. The Mayor shall have power to issue subpœnas to require the attendance of witnesses on the trial of such cases; and disobedience thereof shall render parties liable to the penalties provided by law in Courts of Record.

§ 6. The eighth section of article second of said act, is hereby amended, so as to read as follows:

§ 8. The Mayor, Chief of Police, and the Police Justices and the Captains of Police, or by their, or by either of their orders, shall have power to examine the books of any pawnbroker, his clerk or clerks, if they deem it necessary, when in search of stolen property; and any person having in his possession a pawnbroker's ticket, shall, when accompanied by a policeman, or by an order from the Mayor, Chief of Police, Captain of Police, or Special Justice, be allowed to examine the property purporting to be pawned by said ticket; but no property shall be removed from the possession of any pawnbroker without the process of law required by the existing laws of this state, or the laws and ordinances of the city of New York, regulating pawnbrokers. A refusal or neglect to comply in any respect with the provisions of this section, on the part of any pawnbroker, his clerk or clerks, shall be deemed a misdemeanor, and punishable as such.

§ 7. The first section of article third of said act, is hereby amended, so as to read as follows:

§ 1. The compensation of officers and patrolmen named in this act, shall be fixed by the Common Council, and shall not be increased or diminished during the time for which they are appointed. Police officers, when sent out of the county on public business, shall be allowed all necessary expenses, upon the same being sworn to, and approved by the Mayor, and allowed by the Board of Supervisors.

§ 8. All laws inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

§ 9. This act shall take effect on the first day of June next.

AN ORDINANCE

REGULATING THE POLICE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the city of New York, in Common Council convened, do ordain as follows:

§ 1. The city is hereby divided into three districts, as follows:

The First District shall comprise the First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth and Sixth Wards.

The Second District shall comprise the Eighth, Ninth, Twelfth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth and Eighteenth Wards.

The Third District shall comprise the Seventh, Tenth, Eleventh, Thirteenth, Fourteenth and Seventeenth Wards.

§ 2. In each of said districts there shall be a Police Court and office. The business of the police offices already established shall continue to be conducted where they are now located, until otherwise directed by the Corporation. The police office for the First District shall continue to be held at the Halls of Justice in Centre street; for the Second District, at the Jefferson market, in the Ninth Ward; and for the Third District, at the Essex market, in the Tenth Ward.

§ 3. The magistrates and clerks of the Police Courts, are hereby assigned as follows: Justices Osborne and Drinker to the First District; Justices Roome and Merritt to the Second District; and Justices Taylor and Ketchum to the Third District; Clerks Hasty, Snow, and Stewart, to the First District; Clerks Mountfort and Bleakley to the Second District; and Clerks Frye and Corey to the Third District.

§ 4. The policemen for the various wards of the city of New York, including captains, assistant captains, and sergeants, are hereby apportioned as follows:

To the First Ward—Fifty-nine.
To the Second Ward—Forty-three.
To the Third Ward—Forty-three.
To the Fourth Ward—Sixty.
To the Fifth Ward—Fifty-five.
To the Sixth Ward—Sixty-six.
To the Seventh Ward—Sixty-three.
To the Eighth Ward—Fifty-six.
To the Ninth Ward—Fifty.
To the Tenth Ward—Forty-eight.
To the Eleventh Ward—Forty-five.
To the Twelfth Ward—Thirty-three.
To the Thirteenth Ward—Forty-eight.
To the Fourteeth Ward—Fifty-four.
To the Fifteenth Ward—Forty.
To the Sixteenth Ward—Forty-three.
To the Seventeenth Ward—Fifty-one.
To the Eighteenth Ward—Forty-three.

§ 5. The compensation to be paid to the officers mentioned in this ordinance shall be at the following rates:

To the Chief of Police, one thousand six hundred dollars per annum.
To the Special Justices each one thousand five hundred dollars per annum.
To the Clerks of Police, eight hundred dollars per annum.
To the Captains of Police or Patrol, each seven hundred dollars per annum.
To the Assistant Captains, each six hundred dollars per annum.
To the Sergeants and Policemen, each five hundred dollars per annum.

§ 6. The compensation of the officers mentioned in the preceding section shall be in the following manner:

To the Captains, Assistant Captains, Sergeants, and Policemen, by warrant, semi-monthly. The captains shall receive the pay of policemen and doormen within their districts, and pay the same over as soon as received, taking a receipt, in a book to be provided for that purpose by each captain, making returns to the Comptroller within two days after each payment; which return shall be sworn to by said captains, before some person authorized to administer oaths, as a just and true account of all the moneys received, and that they have paid the same in money without deduction to the several policemen and doormen, according to their several receipts contained in said returns.

§ 7. When any officer, mentioned in this ordinance, shall die, or forfeit his office, or be removed therefrom, compensation at the rates hereinbefore prescribed shall be paid up to the time of such death, forfeiture or removal, to his legal representatives, if he be deceased.

§ 8. The Mayor is hereby authorized to appoint one or more suitable and discreet persons, removable at his pleasure, who shall be known and designated as clerks to the Chief of Police, and shall perform all such duties as may be required by the Mayor and Chief of Police. The salary of such clerk or clerks shall not, together, exceed the sum of one thousand dollars per annum.

§ 9. The captains, assistant captains, sergeants, and policemen, shall receive a certificate of appointment from the Mayor, and before entering on the duties of their respective offices, shall take and subscribe an oath or affirmation well and truly to perform the duties thereof.

§ 10. The Mayor shall have power to prescribe rules and regulations for the government of the police, and from time to time alter and amend the same, as in his judgment may be deemed necessary.

§ 11. Such portions of the following buildings and places in the city of New York as are hereby designated, are appropriated as a portion of the City Prison and Bridewell of the said city, viz: the building known as the Station-house, near Jefferson market, in the Ninth Ward; the building owned by the Corporation, in the rear of Essex Market, in the Tenth Ward, and the various station-houses in the different districts.

§ 12. The Aldermen and Assistant Aldermen shall appoint two persons for their wards, whose duty it shall be to attend at the station-houses of the wards respectively, to keep the same in order, and act as doorkeepers, and do such other duties as may be required of them by the captains of police of said wards respectively, to be paid each seven dollars per week for such services. The said persons so to be appointed to be removable by the said Aldermen and Assistants.

§ 13. Policemen who shall necessarily incur an expense in conveying a person before a magistrate, or to a police station-house, or to the hospital, by the employment of a cart or any other vehicle for that purpose, shall be refunded such expense, upon presenting to the Chief of Police the certificate of the Magistrate or Captain, before whom the person shall be brought, stating that such person was brought by him to the office on a cart or other vehicle. The certificate shall be in the following words, to wit:

No. Police District, No.

This is to certify, that Policeman
has brought to this office,
in Amount $

New York, 185

To George W. Matsell,
Chief of Police. Special Justice.

§ 14. The Chief of Police is hereby authorized, when the necessity may arise, to draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars, to defray the expenses necessarily incurred by policemen in conveying persons as aforesaid, and his own traveling expenses or other purposes provided for in this ordinance. The same to be accounted for to the Comptroller by a return of the vouchers for the money so expended, as often as he shall have occasion to renew the draft, such draft being first approved by the Mayor.

§ 15. The captains of police, or in their absence the assistant captains of police, are hereby authorized to furnish food to persons in custody in the various police station-houses, who they have reason to believe are in a suffering or starving condition, and the expense thereof, when duly certified by the captain or either of the assistant captains of police, shall be paid by the Chief of Police.

§ 16. Policemen who shall necessarily incur an expense in conveying stolen or other property to the office of the Chief of Police, Police Courts, or police station-houses, shall be refunded such expense, on presenting to the Chief of Police the certificate of the magistrate or captain of police to whom such property was delivered.

§ 17. The captain and assistant captains of each ward shall be the keepers of the station-house or houses in such ward, and shall be for that purpose deemed deputy keepers of the city prison.

§ 18. The several ordinances of the Corporation of the city of New York, now in force, in relation to carts and cartmen, cabs and cabmen, hackney coaches and hackney coachmen, stages and accommodation coaches, omnibuses and omnibus drivers, public porters and hand cartmen, are hereby confirmed and ordained.

§ 19. It shall be the duty of the officers mentioned in this ordinance to see that the ordinances hereinbefore mentioned, and all ordinances of the Corporation to prevent evil practices in the city of New York, and in relation to the police of said city, are enforced.

§ 20. The ordinance passed June 15, 1845, entitled, "An ordinance regulating the police of the city of New York," and the ordinance passed January 27, 1846, entitled, "An ordinance in addition to an ordinance entitled an ordinance regulating the police of the city of New York," and all ordinances and parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith, are hereby repealed.

Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen, June 15, 1846.
Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 22, 1846.
Approved by the Mayor, June 23, 1846.

Resolved, That the ordinance entitled "An ordinance regulating the Police of the city of New York," approved by the Mayor, June 16, 1845, be, and the same is hereby amended as follows:

§ 1. The city is hereby divided into four districts, as follows:

The First District shall comprise the First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth and Sixth Wards.

The Second District shall comprise the Eighth, Ninth, Fifteenth and Sixteenth Wards.

The Third District shall comprise the Seventh, Tenth, Eleventh, Thirteenth and Fourteenth Wards.

The Fourth District shall comprise the Twelfth, Seventeenth and Eighteenth Wards.

§ 2. In each of said districts there shall be a Police Court and office. The business of the Police offices already established in the Halls of Justice, Centre street; at Jefferson market, in the Ninth Ward; at Essex market, in the Tenth Ward; shall continue to be conducted there, until otherwise directed by the Common Council; and the Police office for the Fourth District, newly created, shall be held at the Police Station-house in Twenty-ninth street, in the Eighteenth Ward.

§ 3. The Magistrates and Clerks for the aforesaid Police Courts or offices, are hereby assigned as follows:

Justices Timpson and Lothrop to the first district, (Halls of Justice,) in Centre street.

Justices Bleakley and McGrath to the second district, Jefferson market.

Justice Osborne to the third district, Essex market; Justice Mountfort to the fourth district, in Twenty-ninth street, in the Eighteenth Ward.

The Magistrates hereby assigned to the first district, shall, on alternate days, attend at the third district Police Court, and the Magistrates assigned to the second district, shall, on alternate days, attend at the fourth district Police Court, hereby established.

Clerks Stuart and Welch to the first district Police Court; clerks Murray and Davison to the second district Police Court; Riblet to the third District Court, and Lalor to the fourth district Police Court.

§ 5. The compensation to be paid to the officers aforesaid, shall be at the following rates:

To the Police Justices one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, each.

To the Clerks of Police, one thousand dollars per annum, each

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 3, 1848.
Adopted by the Board of Assistants, May 5, 1848.
Approved by the Mayor, May 6, 1848.

The foregoing ordinance was amended November 24th, 1848, by assigning Justice McGrath to the first district, Justice Mountfort to the second district, and Justice Timpson to the third district.

It was also further amended, December 8th, 1848, by assigning John Lalor as clerk to the third district.

The effect of these amendments is, that the fourth district Police office, located, by the ordinance, in Twenty-ninth street, has been abolished, and there remains but three Police Courts.

POLICE COURTS

OF

THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

FIRST DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

Halls of Justice, Centre street.

JUSTICES.

Barnabus W. Osborn	Residence,	115 Eldridge street.
Jeremiah Lothrop	"	289 Broadway.

CLERKS.

Sydney H. Stuart	Residence,	65 East Twenty-seventh street.
James H. Welsh	"	293 Pearl street
James Nesbitt	"	71 Warren street.

POLICEMEN DETAILED FOR DUTY AT FIRST DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

William H. Stephens	Residence,	89 Elm street.
Alexander Crossett	"	137 Reade street.
Stewart J. Smith	"	224 Greene street.
Ralph Patterson	"	169 Reade street.
Isaac Edwards	"	81 Second street.
William G. Elder	"	50 First street.
John H. Burley	"	109 West Broadway.
George L. Green	"	12 Oak street.
Samuel Lowden	"	1 Washington street.
John T. Horton	"	
Henry Evans	"	20 North Moore street.
Daniel L. Benson	"	135 Varick, cor. of Spring st.
Amasa Hagar	"	
George W. Westlake	"	22 Attorney, cor. of Grand st.

SECOND DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

Jefferson Market, Sixth Avenue.

JUSTICES.

James T. M. Bleakley	Residence,	330 Hudson street.
James McGrath	"	134 White street.

CLERKS.

James M. Murray	Residence,	158 Wooster street.
Wm. L Davison	"	153 Avenue A.

POLICEMEN DETAILED FOR DUTY AT SECOND DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

Andrew Trumpp	Residence cor.	36th st. and Madison ave.
Leidy Bilger	"	319 Third avenue.
Howard A. Baldwin	"	39 Sullivan street.

THIRD DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

Essex Market, Essex street.

JUSTICES.

N. B. Mountfort	Residence	64 East 27th street.
Cornelius B. Timpson	"	9 Attorney street.

CLERKS.

John Lalor	Residence,	118 Sixth avenue.
Robert H. Johnson	"	—— ——

POLICEMEN DETAILED FOR DUTY AT THIRD DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

Jackson Bumstead	Residence,	98 Hester street.
A. C. Weed	"	51 Eldridge street.
Wm. P. Schofield	"	156 Delancey street.
Benjamin Merritt	"	87 Seventh street.
L. S. Beck	"	152 West Broadway

NAMES

OF THE

OFFICERS AND MEMBERS

OF

THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

OF THE

CITY OF NEW YORK,

LOCATION OF THE STATION HOUSES, ETC.

JUNE 17, 1851.

Office of Chief of Police, No. 1 Basement of the City Hall, Park.

George W. Matsell, *Chief of Police*,.....Residence, 30 Stanton street.
William Mackellar, *Clerk*..... " Harlem.

D. B. Wood and James Talbot, *Scriveners.*

POLICE DETAILED FOR DUTY AT THE OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE.

Robert J. Brown,
George W. Walling,
Arthur McManus,
R. Latty,
} *Inspectors of Stages.*

John Huthwaite,
Jesse H Patterson,
Wm Oldring,
Joseph Thorn,
} *Inspectors of Hacks.*

Geo. W. Trenchard,
John Colvin,
Elihu Burlison,
} *Inspectors of Carts.*

Robert W. Bowyer, *Inspector of Pawnbrokers.*

George W. Norris,
William H. Bell,
} *Inspectors of Junk Shops.*

Alanson S. Jones, M. D., *Physician to the Department.*
Nathaniel S. Whigan, *Messenger.*

DAY STATIONS OF POLICEMEN.

FIRST WARD.

No. 1, Merchants' Exchange in Wall street; 2, Post-office in Nassau st.; 3, South ferry, foot of Whitehall street.

SECOND WARD.

No. 1, Broadway, corner of Ann street; 2, Fulton Ferry.

THIRD WARD.

No. 1, Barclay street ferry; 2, Cortlandt street; 3, Washington market; 4, Hudson river railroad depot; 5, Broadway, corner Cortlandt street; 6, West street.

FOURTH WARD.

No. 1, Peck slip ferry; 2, Catharine ferry.

FIFTH WARD.

No. 1, corner of Broadway and Canal street; 2, corner of Hoboken and West streets.

SIXTH WARD.

No. 1, Park; 2, corner of Bowery and Bayard street; 3, at the Five Points, (two Policemen;) 4, and on the east side of Broadway, from Park to Canal street.

SEVENTH WARD.

No. 1, corner East Broadway and Catharine street; 2, corner of Jackson and Monroe streets.

EIGHTH WARD.

No. 1, corner of West and Spring streets; 2, corner of Laurens and Grand streets; 3, corner Charlton and Varick streets.

NINTH WARD.

No. 1, Hoboken ferry, foot of Christopher street; 2, foot of Thirteenth st.

TENTH WARD.

No. 1, corner of Grand street and Bowery; 2, corner of Forsyth and Division streets.

ELEVENTH WARD.

No. 1, Dry Dock, at the head of Avenue D.; 2, at the ferry foot of Houston street; 3, at the corner of Columbia and Houston streets.

TWELFTH WARD.

No. 1, Manhattan street and Bloomingdale road; 2, Forty-second street and Eighth avenue.

THIRTEENTH WARD.

No. 1, corner of Grand and Clinton streets; 2, corner of Grand and East streets.

FOURTEENTH WARD.

No. 1, corner of Bowery and Broome street; 2, corner of Walker and Mulberry streets.

FIFTEENTH WARD.

No. 1, University place, east side, between Tenth and Eleventh streets; 2, Washington parade ground.

SIXTEENTH WARD.

No. 1, corner of Thirty-eighth street and Ninth avenue; 2, corner of Thirtieth street and Seventh avenue.

SEVENTEENTH WARD.

No. 1, Avenue A and First street; 2, Third avenue and Tenth street.

EIGHTEENTH WARD.

No. 1, Union park; 2, Stuyvesant square; 3, Madison square.

NINETEENTH WARD.

No. 1, Sixty-first street and Third avenue; 2, Forty-second street and Third avenue; 3, Forty-third street and Tenth avenue; 4, Bloomingdale, in Brodway.

POLICEMEN AND STATION-HOUSES.

FIRST PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-House, Trinity Place.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES WITH
Robert Silvey, *Captain*	Sept. 5, 1850.	Sept. 4, 1854.
William Fulton, 1*st Ass't Capt.*	July 13, 1849.	July 12, 1853.
Thomas Snodgrass, 2*d Ass't Capt.*	June 1, "	May 31, "
George Hammond	" 7, "	June 6, "
James Connor	July 5, "	July 4, "
George Peters	" 14, "	" 13, "
Gideon Rice	" 27, "	" 26, "
Bryan King	Oct. 15, "	Oct. 14, "
Ephraim Gilliands	Nov. 8, "	Nov. 7, "
John Black	" 8, "	" 7, "
Wm. H. Smith	" 9, "	" 8, "
George Roland	" 19, "	" 18, "
Robert Hasson	Dec. 18, "	Dec. 17, "
Jacob Kliderer	Jan. 28, 1850.	Jan. 27, 1854.
Geo. C. Snodgrass	Feb. 11, "	Feb. 10, "
Robt. F. Allison	" 18, "	" 17, "
Reuben Hillman	" 18, "	" 17, "
Joseph T. Thrall	" 18, "	" 17, "
William Guerker	June 4, "	June 3, "
Henry Goodhue	" 4, "	" 3, "
John Hays	August 2, "	August 1, "
William Watson	" 7, "	" 6, "
Stephen Johns	" 9, "	" 8, "
James Haley	" 12, "	" 11, "
Edward Dwyer	" 12, "	" 11, "
Robert L. Frean	" 12, "	" 11, "
Calvin N. Henry	" 13, "	" 12, "
Charles Williams	" 26, "	" 25, "
John A. Harper	Sept. 9, "	Sept. 8, "
Edward C. Butler	" 9, "	" 8, "
Joshua McCabe	" 16, "	" 15, "
Laurence Keiley	" 16, "	" 15, "
Archibald M Crawford	Oct. 1, "	" 30, "
George Hamilton	Nov. 7, "	Nov. 6, "
Valentine Hinton	" 7, "	" 6, "
John King	" 19, "	" 18, "
Christopher Harris	" 20, "	" 19, "
Andrew Glass	" 20, "	" 19, "
John Donovan	" 27, "	" 26, "

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES WITH
James C. Nelson	Dec. 4, 1850.	Dec. 3, 1854.
James Marshall	Feb. 5, 1851.	Feb. 4, 1855.
Michael Crowley	" 5, "	" 4, "
James H. Kellam	" 6, "	" 5, "
James Silvey	" 24, "	" 23, "
John Miller	March 19, "	March 18, "
Charles McDougall	" 19, "	" 18, "
Samuel Lowden	" 28, "	" 27, "
Robert Hill	April 10, "	April 9, "
Michael McCormick	" 10, "	" 9, "
John W. Black	" 12, "	" 11, "
Ely De Voe	" 17, "	" 16, "
Michael McCarthy	" 24, "	" 23, "
Patrick Gillen	" 30, "	" 29, "
Joseph Dreynwoiz	May 7, "	May 6, "
Timothy Collins	" 26, "	" 25, "
Francis Anderson	" 26, "	" 25, "
Elias Lynch	June 3, "	June 2, "
Solomon Wertheimer	" 13, "	" 12, "

Doormen—Alexander Burkett, Casper Marter.

SECOND PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-House, No. 70 Beekman street.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES WITH
James Leonard, *Captain*	April 8, 1850.	April 7, 1854.
Alfred Chancellor, *1st Ass't Capt*	May 21, 1851.	May 20, 1855.
Arthur Keating, *2d Ass't Capt*	" 19, "	" 18, "
George T. Tracey	June 5, 1849.	June 4, 1853.
Martin Ramey	Dec. 17, "	Dec. 16, "
William Kline	" 17, "	" 16, "
Elijah Curtis	Jan. 3, 1850.	Jan. 2, 1854.
Alexander F. Walsh	" 3, "	" 2, "
Thomas Moloney	Feb. 28, "	Feb. 27, "
Alexander Marcet	June 12, "	June 11, "
Patrick Hourigan	" 17, "	" 16, "
Michael Carmody	" 24, "	" 23, "
Jacob L. Codett	" 27, "	" 26, "
Walter Joyce	" 27, "	" 26, "
George Niven	" 27, "	" 26, "
Robert J. Finley	July 1, "	" 30, "
Charles Gallagher	" 27, "	July 26, "
John O'Sullivan	" 27, "	" 26, "
Edward L. McCready	August 9, "	August 8, "
Lewis Mather	" 9, "	" 8, "
Nathaniel Cavanagh	" 9, "	" 8, "
George Jackson	" 9, "	" 8, "
Joseph H. Rice	" 9, "	" 8, "
James Finney	" 9, "	" 8, "
James Carmody	" 9, "	" 8, "
Jesse B. Witherby	" 9, "	" 8, "
Alonzo B. Corey	" 9, "	" 8, "
Richard Logan	Sept. 18, "	Sept. 17, "
John Donnelly	" 23, "	" 22, "
Thomas C. Harrison	Nov. 28, "	Nov. 27, "
Patrick McGrath	Dec. 13, "	Dec. 12, "
Albert Lombard	" 19, "	" 18, "
Patrick Cherry	" 23, "	" 22, "
Patrick C. Muldowney	Feb. 3, 1851.	Feb. 2, 1855.
William H. Simonds	" 3, "	" 2, "
Patrick O'Brien	May 8, "	May 7, "
Patrick Shea	" 21, "	" 20, "
Thomas Moroney	" 21, "	" 20, "
Robert Walsh	" 24, "	" 23, "
John Gaffney	" 24, "	" 23, "

Doormen—John Barrett, John Clark.

THIRD PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-House, No. 35 Barclay street.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES WITH
James A. P. Hopkins, *Captain*	June 3d, 1850.	June 2, 1854.
J. P. Olmstead, 1*st Ass't Capt*	Sept. 23, "	Sept. 22, "
Ira Goodenow, 2*d Ass't Capt*	" 23, "	" 22, "
James Cotton	June 7, 1849.	June 6, 1853.
Henry Q. Wright	July 7, "	July 6, "
Daniel H. Read	" 21, "	" 20, "
Israel Roberts	" 23, "	" 22, "
Thomas M. Armstrong	August 8, "	August 7, "
Garret P. Gilleland	" 16, "	" 15, "
Carmille De Ge	Sept. 4, "	Sept. 3, "
James R. Reid	Dec. 28, "	Dec. 27, "
Charles Hicks	Jan. 28, 1850.	Jan. 27, 1854.
Alexander Crawford	May 10, "	May 9, "
Richard M. Powell	" 25, "	" 24, "
Charles Wood	June 7, "	June 6, "
Thomas H. Sease	" 11, "	" 10, "
Samuel W. Mackey	July 6, "	July 5, "
Peter M. Ottignon	" 12, "	" 11, "
Wm. McCollick	" 17, "	" 16, "
Jabez Taylor	" 18, "	" 17, "
William P. Hervey	August 15, "	August 14, "
Benjamin Mott	" 15, "	" 14, "
William Darling	" 15, "	" 14, "
Seneca Martindale	" 15, "	" 14, "
Ralph Patterson	Sept. 23, "	Sept. 22, "
Alexander Crossett	" 24, "	" 23, "
John Beam	" 24, "	" 23, "
William B. Lown	" 26, "	" 25, "
Walter Williams	Nov. 7, "	Nov. 6, "
Sandford L. Porter	Dec. 4, "	Dec. 3, "
Robert Campbell	" 19, "	" 18, "
Charles H. Kinyon	Jan. 2, 1851.	Jan. 1, 1855.
Oakley Bray	Feb. 11, "	Feb. 10, "
Wm. A. Phillips	" 11, "	" 10, "
William Bowker	" 19, "	" 18, "
Jesse C. Kinner	March 18, "	March 17, "
Milton Swayze	" 18, "	" 17, "
Alanson S. Jones	" 20, "	" 19, "
John W. Cropsey	" 26, "	" 25, "
George J. Radford	" 27, "	" 26, "
Henry Fish	" 29, "	" 28, "
Sterling Peet	April 7, "	April 6, "
George Mountjoy	" 8, "	" 7, "
John B. Jeffrey	" 8, "	" 7, "
Pea sall Rodermond	" 9, "	" 8, "
Edward Heustis	" 30, "	" 29, "
A. C. Brundage	May 9, "	May 8, "
John Hamblin	" 17, "	" 16, "
Abraham Van Winkle	" 19, "	" 18, "

Doorman—Nicholas Martin.

FOURTH PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-House, 9 Oak street.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES WITH
J. Murray Ditchett, *Captain*	April 27, 1850.	April 26, 1854.
William Baird, *1st Assist. Capt.*	May 4, "	May 3, "
Wm. S. Willeston, *2d Asst. Capt.*	March 5, "	March 4, "
Thomas J. Redden	June 5, 1849.	June 4, 1853.
Dennis McGuire	August 15, "	August 14, "
Patrick J. Pendergast	Sept. 6, "	Sept. 5, "
John Walsh	" 28, "	" 27, "
Edmund Nugent	Nov. 17, "	Nov. 16, "
William K. Knowles	" 19, "	" 18, "
William Phillips	Dec. 3, "	Dec. 2, "
George L. Green	January 3, "	Jan. 2, 1854.
David H. Kelly	March 6, 1850.	March 5, "
William Shaves	April 24, "	April 23, "
Robert Reader	" 24, "	" 23, "
T. W. Sheriden	" 25, "	" 24, "
James Langdon	" 30, "	" 29, "
Arthur McManus	May 9, "	May 8, "
George Dougherty	" 10, "	" 9, "
Eli Reed	" 10, "	" 9, "
Michael Kelly	" 13, "	" 12, "
William Akins	" 18, "	" 17, "
Patrick Duffey	" 28, "	" 27, "
Michael Foster	June 18, "	June 17, "
Hugh McGuire	" 18, "	" 17, "
Michael Wogan	" 20, "	" 19, "
John Sweeney	" 26, "	" 25, "
James Powers	" 27, "	" 26, "
James Talbot	July 11, "	July 10, "
Patrick Lawless	" 30, "	" 29, "
Andrew Sheehen	" 30, "	" 29, "
George McGrann	" 30, "	" 29, "
James Harbinson	August 5, 1850.	August 4, 1854.
Philip Clogan	" 5, "	" 4, "
William Beechley	" 7, "	" 6, "
Michael Sullivan	" 7, "	" 6, "
James Durney	" 9, "	" 8, "
Lawrence Maher	" 13, "	" 12, "
Neil Duffey	" 24, "	" 23, "
Robert J. Brown	" 29, "	" 28, "
Robert Connaghan	" 31, "	" 30, "
William Street	Sept. 13, "	Sept. 12, "
Thomas Casey	" 19, "	" 18, "
Patrick Holden	" 19, "	" 18, "
John S. Coulter	Oct. 3, "	Oct. 2, "
Joseph P. Smith	Nov. 8, "	Nov. 7, "
Thomas C. Doyle	" 9, "	" 8, "
Lafayette McDonald	" 9, "	" 8, "

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES WITH
Timothy Gleeson	Jan. 10, 1851.	Jan. 9, 1855.
Thomas Reeves	" 13, "	" 12, "
Thomas Hogan	" 29, "	" 28, "
Martin McInerney	Feb. 5, "	Feb. 4, "
Maurice Kane	May 9, "	May 8, "
William Furlong	" 12, "	" 11, "
Henry Seawood	" 21, "	" 20, "

Doormen—James Waterman, Henry Engles.

FIFTH PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-House, 48 Leonard street.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES WITH
Daniel Carpenter, *Captain*	Dec. 21, 1849.	Dec. 20, 1853.
Thos. Moneypenny, *1st Asst. Capt.*	July 9, "	July 8, "
Samuel Reynolds, *2d Asst. Capt.*	" 9, "	" 8, "
Charles Ford	June 4, "	June 3, "
William S. Keizer	" 8, "	" 7, "
Thomas Bigley	" 8, "	" 7, "
Howell Clark	" 18, "	" 17, "
William W. Martin	July 9, "	July 8, "
Robert Lochead	" 14, "	" 13, "
Samuel C. Livingston	" 19, "	" 18, "
Henry S. Cook	" 20, "	" 19, "
Edward Weylen	August 8, "	August 7, "
William Westcott	Dec. 1, "	Nov. 30, "
H. W. Johnson	Feb. 20, 1850.	Feb. 19, 1854.
William Savidge	April 1, "	March 31, "
John Girvin	" 24, "	April 23, "
Peter Bodine	May 8, "	May 7, "
John McConnell	" 18, "	" 17, "
William Kennedy	June 15, "	June 14, "
Henry Huchings	" 15, "	" 14, "
John N Smith	July 8, "	July 7, "
Henry Evans	" 8, "	" 7, "
William Petit	" 29, "	" 28, "
Jacob Carlock	" 29, "	" 28, "
Abraham V. Davis	" 29, "	" 28, "
James Y. Burnham	" 29, "	" 28, "
Dennis Cochran	" 29, "	" 28, "
S. W. Maynard	August 6, "	August 5, "

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES WITH
Andrew Nesbitt	August 6, 1850.	August 5, 1854.
William F. Archer	" 6, "	" 5, "
George C. Crolius	" 6, "	" 5, "
John H. Burley	" 6, "	" 5, "
C. Smith Gasque	" 8, "	" 7, "
Henry T. Peters	" 9, "	" 8, "
Henry C. King	" 19, "	" 18, "
Daniel L. Ritter	" 19, "	" 18, "
William H. Isaacs	" 19, "	" 18, "
Augustus P. Bullock	" 19, "	" 18, "
Manuel A. White	" 26, "	" 25, "
John Read	" 26, "	" 25, "
John G. Goodell	" 27, "	" 26, "
John McCord	Sept. 2, "	Sept. 1, "
Lambert S. Beck	" 2, "	" 1, "
Washington Adams	" 14, "	" 13, "
Samuel Housley	Oct. 1, "	" 30, "
Joseph T. Webster	" 8, "	Oct. 7, "
Moses Hunt	Nov. 25, "	Nov. 24, "
Jacob Webb	" 27, "	" 26, "
Thomas Bell	" 29, "	" 28, "
William H. Martin	Dec. 20, "	Dec. 19, "
Warren S. Van Court	" 21, "	" 20, "
Robert King	" 23, "	" 22, "
Joseph Keefe	" 24, "	" 23, "
Samuel Truex	Feb. 7, 1851.	Feb. 6, 1855.
Nathaniel Skiff	April 21, "	April 20, "

Doormen—James McDonald, James Bingham.

SIXTH PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-House, Halls of Justice, (Franklin and Centre streets.)

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES WITH
George J. Smith, *Captain*	Dec. 12, 1849.	Dec. 11, 1853.
John Garrett, 1*st Assistant Capt.*	May 27, 1851.	May 26, 1855.
Peter L. Feirty, 2*d Assist. Capt.*	" 13, "	" 12, "
Dominick Crassous,	July 30, 1849.	July 29, 1853.
Adolphus Mincho	Dec. 28, "	Dec. 27, "
Patrick O'Neil	" 29, "	" 28, "
Bernard McParlin	Feb. 5, 1850.	Feb. 4, 1854.
Patrick Nealis	" 18, "	" 17, "
Hugh McDermott	April 9, "	April 8, "
Thomas Blake	May 16, "	May 15, "
William Nealis	June 14, "	June 13, "
James Martin	" 15, "	" 14, "
Patrick Gleason	" 17, "	" 16, "
John F. Kaveney	" 17, "	" 16, "
Rodger Judge	" 24, "	" 23, "
Patrick Hunt	" 26, "	" 25, "
James McNulty	July 27, "	" 26, "
William H. Stephens	" 29, "	" 28, "
John Lord	" 29, "	" 28, "
Daniel Kearney	" 29, "	" 28, "
James Conlon	" 29, "	" 28, "
Ennis Geraghty	" 29, "	" 28, "
Alonzo Bingham	" 31, "	" 30, "
Timothy Lally	" 31, "	" 30, "
Edward Gallagher	" 31, "	" 30, "
Patrick Dolton,	" 31, "	" 30, "
Patrick Curley	August 1, "	" 31, "
Richard Coote	" 1, "	" 31, "
John Kelley	" 5, "	August 4, "
Patrick Sharkey	" 8, "	" 7, "
John B. Mitchell	" 13, "	" 12, "
John S. Riker	" 15, "	" 14, "
Rufus Blake	" 15, "	" 14, "
John Timony	" 15, "	" 14, "
Joseph Dowling	" 21, "	" 20, "
Daniel O'Neil	Sept. 4, "	Sept. 3, "
John Huthwaite	Oct. 3, "	Oct. 2, "
John Gannon	Nov 4, "	Nov. 3, "
Patrick McGuire	" 7, "	" 6, "
Jacob B. Smith	" 8, "	" 7, "
William Carlin	" 9, "	" 8, "
John Gaughan	" 14, "	" 13, "
William McGrath	" 19, "	" 18, "
Dennis Dowd	Jan. 2, 1851.	Jan. 1, 1855.
George W. Norris	" 2, "	" 1, "
Thomas Kevlin	" 11, "	" 10, "
Thomas Meehan	" 11, "	" 10, "

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES WITH
Michael Gaughan	Jan. 20, 1851.	Jan. 19, 1855.
Owen Lee	" 20, "	" 19, "
Dennis Doudican	" 22, "	" 21, "
Francis Owens	" 22, "	" 21, "
Michael McLaughlan	" 24, "	" 23, "
Thomas McAndrew	" 27, "	" 26, "
John Munson	Feb. 4, "	Feb. 3, "
Bernard McLaughlan	" 6, "	" 5, "
Robert W. Bowyer	March 19, "	March 18, "

Doormen—Michael Flaherty, Patrick McQuade.

SEVENTH PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-House corner of Pike and South streets.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES WITH
William A. Haggerty, *Captain*	Jan. 25, 1851.	Jan. 24, 1855.
Barnes Bennet, *1st Assist. Capt*	" 27, "	" 26, "
Edward Merritt, *2d Assist. Capt*	March 1, "	Feb. 30, "
Edmund Ferris	June 18, 1849.	June 17, 1853.
David C. Harris	" 27, "	" 26, "
Samuel C. Snyder	July 16, "	July 15, "
James Valentine	" 28, "	" 27, "
Adam Prosch	August 2, "	August 1, "
James Kain	" 21, "	" 20, "
James Moneypenny	" 24, "	" 23, "
Dennis Murphy	" 30, "	" 29, "
Christopher Fahier	Sept. 10, "	Sept. 9, "
William Wildey	" 14, "	" 13, "
Robert H. Lamont	Oct. 1, "	" 30, "
Charles F. Way	Nov. 13, "	Nov. 12, "
James Darrow	Feb. 9, 1850.	Feb. 8, 1854.
John Hughes	" 25, "	" 24, "
William E. Dillingham	" 27, "	" 26, "
Oly Anderson	March 19, "	March 18, "
Samuel W. Simpson	April 16, "	April 15, "
Thomas Ritchie	" 20, "	" 19, "
William A. Waterbury	June 10, "	June 9, "
Holly Lyon	" 10, "	" 9, "
John Callery	" 22, "	" 21, "
George Burras	July 20, "	July 19, "
John L. Hollinger	" 20, "	" 19, "
Thomas Town	" 20, "	" 19, "
Levi W. Pierce	" 22, "	" 21, "

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES WITH
John P. Coffman	July 24, 1850.	July 23, 1854.
Michael Wilkensen	" 24, "	" 23, "
Charles R. Newton	August 15, "	August 14, "
John Lynar	" 16, "	" 15, "
James Sammis	" 16, "	" 15, "
Israel S. Smith	" 16, "	" 15, "
Thomas K. Coultas	" 16, "	" 15, "
John W. Grear	" 19, "	" 18, "
H. C. Baugh	" 19, "	" 18, "
Benjamin Hobbs	" 19, "	" 18, "
Warren H. Kayler	" 22, "	" 21, "
William V. Turner	Sept. 3, "	Sept. 2, "
Joseph Barian	" 25, "	" 24, "
Richard H. Canniff	Oct. 12, "	Oct. 11, "
John J. Hudson	Nov. 9, "	Nov. 8, "
Abram R. Randel	" 11, "	" 10, "
William Woodhull	Dec. 9, "	Dec. 8, "
Leroy T. Clarke	Feb. 3, 1851.	Feb. 2, 1855.
John Duflon	" 3, "	" 2, "
Daniel Baker	" 4, "	" 3, "
Alexander Evans	" 14, "	" 13, "
Bernard Monholland	" 15, "	" 14, "
William H. Youngs	" 15, "	" 14, "
Edward Haas	" 15, "	" 14, "
James L. Saffen	" 26, "	" 25, "
Patrick McMahon	" 26, "	" 25, "
William H. Bedell	" 27, "	" 26, "
Chester Weld	March 5, "	March 4, "
William W. Gregory	" 10, "	" 9, "
George Manwaring	April 3, "	April 2, "
Bernard Brannagan	" 14, "	" 13, "
Edward B. Holly	" 28, "	" 27, "
William McVeagh	" 29, "	" 28, "
Richary Gery	May 22, "	May 21, "
George W. Coutant	" 28, "	" 27, "

Doormen—Antonio Beattistia, Patrick Sullivan.

EIGHTH PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-House, corner Prince and Wooster streets.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES WITH
Charles S. Turnbill, *Captain*	Aug. 28, 1850.	Aug. 27, 1854.
Morris De Camp, 1*st Assist. Capt.*	" 28, "	" 27, "
Hart B. Weed, 2*d* " "	Sept. 11, "	Sept 10, "
John Schaeffer	Oct. 11, 1849.	Oct. 10, 1853.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES WITH
Augustus Kelley	Oct. 12, 1849.	Oct. 11, 1853.
Isaac Johnson	April 10, 1850.	April 9, 1854.
David Van Wart	" 13, "	" 12, "
Jacob B. Warlow	" 17, "	" 16, "
Nathaniel W. Stilwell	May 20, "	May 19, "
Albert J. Spear	June 7, "	June 6, "
Thomas J. Veldran	" 24, "	" 23, "
Daniel L. Benson	" 24, "	" 23, "
Henry Clough	" 24, "	" 23, "
Mahlon Kinney	July 18, "	July 17, "
William Starritt	" 18, "	" 17, "
Augustus Goodrich	" 18, "	" 17, "
Henry F. Jones	" 18, "	" 17, "
Thomas McDougall	Aug. 9, "	Aug. 8, "
Anthony Austin	" 9, "	" 8, "
James Bryan	" 27, "	" 26, "
Henry A. Miles	" 27, "	" 26, "
Lewis Baker	" 27, "	" 26, "
Freeman Payne	" 27, "	" 26, "
Theodore Rynders	" 27, "	" 26, "
Lorenzo D. Leighton	" 27, "	" 26, "
Lawrence Austin	" 27, "	" 26, "
George Perkins	" 27, "	" 26, "
William M. Powers	" 28, "	" 27, "
Elias Willet	" 28, "	" 27, "
Theodore Winchell	Sept. 3, "	Sept. 2, "
John Reynolds	" 3, "	" 2, "
Charles Farentz	" 4, "	" 3, "
John Understellar	" 4, "	" 3, "
Stephen S. Chamberlain	" 5, "	" 4, "
Robert Miller	" 5, "	" 4, "
Patrick Dillon	" 5, "	" 4, "
Augustus Gautier	" 11, "	" 10, "
John J. Mount	" 23, "	" 22, "
John Poillon	Oct. 17, "	Oct. 16, "
William H. West	Nov. 15, "	Nov. 14, "
Jonathan Knapp	" 25, "	" 24, "
Furman B. Stage	Jan'y 11, 1851.	Jan. 10, 1855.
John Wildey	" 11, "	" 10, "
Marcus Aufses	Feb. 1, "	" 31, "
Amasa Hagar	" 15, "	Feb. 14, "
Howard A. Baldwin	" 24, "	" 23, "
William Hanna	" 25, "	" 24, "
James M. Miller	March 5, "	March 4, "
Robert Hovenden	" 5, "	" 4, "
Joseph Wark	" 17, "	" 16, "
John S. Van Beuren	" 28, "	" 27, "
John G. Giltzow	April 15, "	April 14, "
Michael Swift	" 16, "	" 15, "
Ezra Beach	" 21, "	" 20, "
James Z. Bogart	May 15, "	May 14, "
Wm. H. Smith	June 27, "	June 26, "

Doormen—Robert Brown, William Utter.

NINTH PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-House, Jefferson Market.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES WITH
James Lovett, *Captain*	Feb. 12, 1850.	Feb. 11, 1854.
William Y. Taft, 1*st Ass't Capt.*	" 13, "	" 12, "
Jacob L. Sebring, 2*d Ass't Capt.*	" 13, "	" 12, "
James C. Pell	June 5, 1849.	June 4, 1853.
Thomas Taylor	" 21, "	" 20, "
James C. Westerfield	" 28, "	" 27, "
Alexander Smith	" 28, "	" 27, "
John L. Wyman	July 3, "	July 2, "
William Oldring	August 31, "	August 30, "
Morris Springer	Nov. 8, "	Nov. 7, "
J. W. Stinman	" 16, "	" 15, "
Abraham D. Carlock	March 18, 1850.	March 17, 1854,
Alexander Fraser	April 30, "	April 29, "
Chauncey Mason	May 8, "	May 7, "
William H. Lefferts	" 21, "	" 20, "
James B. Mead	" 22, "	" 21, "
Sidney Parker	June 7, "	June 6, "
John Cusick	July 6, "	July 5, "
William B. Davie	" 8, "	" 7, "
John Hanifer	" 30, "	" 29, "
Ralph Blakelock	" 30, "	" 29, "
James P. Bennett	" 30, "	" 29, "
Nathaniel Crawford	August 6, "	August 5, "
Horatio Sanger	" 7, "	" 6, "
James H. Haws	" 7, "	" 6, "
Hiram H. Hammond	" 7, "	" 6, "
George G. Jewett	" 8, "	" 7, "
Thomas Chase	" 10, "	" 9, "
Samuel F. Chatterton	" 12, "	" 11, "
Daniel Van Buskirk	" 12, "	" 11, "
John Pool	" 12, "	" 11, "
Ezekiel Maynard	" 12, "	" 11, "
Samuel Carpenter	" 12, "	" 11, "
Daniel B. Wood	" 14, "	" 13, "
William Cargill	" 15, "	" 14, "
William Carlock	" 22, "	" 21, "
Algernon Kniffen	Sept. 23, "	Sept. 22, "
John C. Nicholson	" 26, "	" 25, "
George H. Ramppen	" 27, "	" 26, "
Dewitt C. Clarke	Nov. 14, "	Nov. 13, "
Garrett Collum	" 14, "	" 13, "
Joseph G. Turner	" 14, "	" 13, "
William Wallace	Dec. 13, "	Dec. 12, "
Caleb H. Frost	March 3, 1851.	March 2, 1855.
Elihu Burlison	" 29, "	" 28, "
Francis F. Fowler	April 8, "	April 7, "
William Springer	" 12, "	" 11, "
Timothy G. Clarke	May 12, "	May 11, "
William A. Kent	" 15, "	" 14, "
James McPherson	July 1, "	June 30, "

Doormen—Andrew Sutherland, John D. Champlin.

TENTH PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-House, Essex Market.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES WITH
Benjamin W. Bradford, *Captain*..	July 25, 1850.	July 24, 1854.
William H. Sparks, 1*st Ass't Capt.*	Oct. 21, "	Oct. 20, "
Thaddeus C. Davis, 2*d Ass't Capt.*	April 1, 1851.	March 31, 1855.
John Reed	August 9, 1848.	August 8, 1850.
Augustus C. Weed	June 27, 1849.	June 26, 1853.
Edson Williamson	Dec. 6, "	Dec. 5, "
John R. Weed	" 7, "	" 6, "
William B. Lowery	July 10, 1850.	July 9, 1854.
Joseph Ackerman	" 10, "	" 9, "
Stephen D. Skidmore	" 25, "	" 24, "
Benjamin Way	" 25, "	" 24, "
Henry Otten	Sept. 2, "	Sept. 1, "
Nicholas Kelley	" 2, "	" 1, "
Samuel Brown	" 2, "	" 1, "
Isaac Mead	" 2, "	" 1, "
Richard King	" 2, "	" 1, "
Bartholomew Mealio	" 2, "	" 1, "
James Anderson	" 2, "	" 1, "
Henry J. Ingersoll	" 2, "	" 1, "
Henry Freedman	" 2, "	" 1, "
Matthew Miller	" 2, "	" 1, "
Richard Latty	" 5, "	" 4, "
Henry Spicer	" 5, "	" 4, "
Aaron Bogart	" 9, "	" 8, "
John T. Horton	" 14, "	" 13, "
Philip Treffinger	" 27, "	" 26, "
John F. Gantz	Oct. 21, "	Oct. 20, "
Andrew Peno	Nov. 11, "	Nov. 10, "
Samuel Rothchild	" 14, "	" 13, "
Henry Miner	" 14, "	" 13, "
James G. Kent	" 26, "	" 25, "
James Loyd	Dec. 19, "	Dec. 18, "
Jackson Bumstead	" 27, "	" 26, "
George W. Miller	Jan. 4, 1851.	Jan. 3, 1855.
Joseph D. King	" 29, "	" 28, "
Edmund M. Williams	Feb. 1, "	" 31, "
Charles James	" 5, "	Feb. 4, "
John D. Vandewater	March 10, "	March 9, "
David Kelley	April 1, "	" 31, "
William H. Vandewater	" 21, "	April 20, "
John J. Smith	May 1, "	" 30, "
Peter Bogart	" 3, "	May 2, "
John Hays	" 6, "	" 5, "
Patrick McMahon	" 7, "	" 6, "
Henry Harper	" 7, "	" 6, "
Frederick Schwabs	" 9, "	" 8, "
Francis Quinn	June 21, "	June 20, "

Doormen—Jacob Ferris, Ebenezer Chambers.

ELEVENTH PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-House, Union Market.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES WITH
Peter Squires, *Captain*	August 25, 1849.	August 24, 1853.
Thomas Hogan, *1st Ass't Capt*	Sept. 15, "	Sept. 14, "
John Cameron, *2d Ass't Capt*	" 29, "	" 28, "
Thomas Megson	August 22, "	August 21, "
Lemuel Bourne	June 30, "	June 29, "
William Peterson	July 17, "	July 16, "
Laban C. Stiles	" 17, "	" 16, "
Hewlett Smith	August 27, "	August 26, "
John H. Van Tassell	" 27, "	" 26, "
Joseph H. Thorn	Oct. 4, "	Oct. 3, "
James Jones	" 15, "	" 14, "
Zephaniah C. Smith	Dec. 6, "	Dec. 5, "
Gilbert Leggett	" 15, "	" 14, "
John J. Kearsing	" 20, "	" 19, "
John W. Wells	Jan. 7, 1850.	Jan. 6, 1854.
Samuel S. Acker	May 3, "	May 2, "
William H. Orr	" 29, "	" 28, "
James McGiviran	July 5, "	July 4, "
Joshua Marsh	" 8, "	" 7, "
Frederick Castine	" 8, "	" 7, "
Henry Whitehead	" 8, "	" 7, "
John Johnson	" 19, "	" 18, "
Benjamin Brush	" 19, "	" 18, "
Edward Schoonmaker	" 20, "	" 19, "
James Crowley	" 20, "	" 19, "
John Skidmore	" 26, "	" 25, "
Francis Karst	" 29, "	" 28, "
Moses Fargo	Sept. 4, "	Sept. 3, "
Aaron Vanderbelt	" 4, "	" 3, "
Jackson Vermilyea	" 4, "	" 3, "
Wesley Lyon	" 16, "	" 15, "
Ambrose Defries	Oct. 7, "	Oct. 6, "
Alexander Robb	" 7, "	" 6, "
Isaac W. Nichols	" 19, "	" 18, "
James Ryan	Dec. 17, "	Dec. 16. "
Thomas Sickles	" 19, "	" 18, "
George Miller	" 31, "	" 30, "
William H. Sutton	Jan. 2, 1851.	Jan. 1, 1855.
William Boyer	April 7, "	April 6, "
William Jaffrey	" 19, "	" 18, "
James Whaley	" 21, "	" 20, "
Aaron Brookheim	" 28, "	" 27, "
Simeon Decker	May 2, "	May 1, "
Edward Church	" 5, "	" 4, "
Thomas R. Barton	" 19, "	" 18, "
Daniel A. Bostwick	" 19, "	" 18, "
Moses Feldman	" 22, "	" 21, "

Doormen—Burtis Penney, David Waterbury.

TWELFTH PATROL DISTRICT.

Station Houses, Harlem, 126th st., between 3d and 4th avenues, and at Manhattanville.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES WITH
Galen T. Porter, *Captain*	Dec. 29, 1849.	Dec. 28, 1853.
James Crowe, 1*st Ass't Capt*	Feb. 4, 1851.	Feb. 3, 1855.
Wm. G. Graham, 2*d Ass't Capt*	Jan 3, 1850.	Jan. 2, 1854.
Abraham G. Bertholf	" 2, 1849.	" 1, 1853.
Nathaniel Holmes	" 4, "	" 3, "
Matthew Coggy	" 8, "	" 7, "
James Lanahan	August 4, "	August 3, "
William Chapman	" 8, "	" 7, "
William Cecil	Sept. 10, "	Sept. 9, "
Hugh Masterton	Nov. 14, "	Nov. 13, "
Sylvester Osborn	" 26, "	" 25, "
Martin White	" 26, "	" 25, "
William Read	" 30, "	" 29, "
John Fitzgerald	Dec. 28, "	Dec. 27, "
Edward V. Graham	" 28, "	" 27, "
Wm. H. Evers	April 3, 1850.	April 2, 1854.
Isaac B. Dickerson	July 5, "	July 4, "
Christopher Palor	August 22, "	August 21, "
William Griffith	" 31, "	" 30, "
Joseph Seagrist	Sept. 3, "	Sept. 2, "
William White	" 25, "	" 24, "
James McCusker	" 28, "	" 27, "
Robert Thompson	Nov. 26, "	Nov. 25, "
James Kennedy	Dec. 16, "	Dec. 15, "
John Nash	" 16, "	" 15, "
James Hope	" 31, "	" 30, "
Samuel B. Ryer	Jan. 22, 1851.	Jan. 21, 1855.
Dennis Falvey	" 30, "	" 29, "
John McQuaide	Feb. 4, "	Feb. 3, "
William H. Tone	April 1, "	March 31, "

Doormen—Anthony Schwickert, James Fahey, Martin McNalley.

THIRTEENTH PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-House, corner of Attorney and Delancey streets.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES WITH
John F. Russell, *Captain*	July 16, 1850.	July 15, 1854.
Aaron H. Sharpe, 1*st Ass't Capt*	May 15, 1851.	May 14, 1855.
Ira A. Clarke, 2*d Ass't Capt*	July 16, 1850.	July 15, 1854.
George W. Westlake	August 16, 1849.	August 15, 1853.
James Dorsey	Nov. 23, "	Nov. 22, "
John Flynn	April 1, 1850.	March 31, 1854.
James Boyle	June 7, "	June 6, "
John Farrell	" 24, "	" 23, "
Abraham Post	" 26, "	" 25, "
John Davis	July 6, "	July 5, "
Charles K. Smith	" 12, "	" 11, "
Joseph Johnson	" 15, "	" 14, "
Moses Brush	" 16, "	" 15, "
William McKenney	" 20, "	" 19, "
John Bapp	" 20, "	" 19, "
Thomas Young	" 22, "	" 21, "
William Taylor	" 22, "	" 21, "
Charles Doty	" 22, "	" 21, "
James Parish	" 22, "	" 21, "
Benjamin Hallick	" 22, "	" 21, "
Timothy T. Weeks	" 24, "	" 23, "
Patrick Flood	" 24, "	" 23, "
Daniel Acker	" 24, "	" 23, "
Frederick Firehock	" 25, "	" 24, "
Malachi Kelley	August 12, "	August 11, "
James Frailey	" 12, "	" 11, "
Charles A. Du Moulen	" 30, "	" 29, "
Morris Oakley	Sept. 9, "	Sept. 8, "
Alexander Ward	" 11, "	" 10, "
Morris Binswanger	" 13, "	" 12, "
Samuel Elliott	Oct. 11, "	Oct. 10, "
Thomas Steers	Nov. 28, "	Nov. 27, "
Albert Van Tassel	Dec. 4, "	Dec. 3, "
John Riley	" 20, "	" 19, "
John Nelson	" 20, "	" 19, "
William Irvin	Feb. 4, 1851.	Feb. 3, 1855.
James H. Clarke	" 10, "	" 9, "
William J. Scholefield	" 10, "	" 9, "
Jonas Colan	" 14, "	" 13, "
William H. Brown	" 28, "	" 27, "
Fisher Weeks	March 3, "	March 2, "
James Sherry	" 19, "	" 18, "
Matthew H. O'Connor	April 5, "	April 4, "
Moses Edwards	May 6, "	May 5, "
William D. Brundage	" 24, "	" 23, "
Owen Daley	" 28, "	" 27, "
Bernhard Friedman	June 10, "	June 19, "
Richard Cornwell	July 3, "	July 2, "

Doormen—Charles Lloyd, John Gardner.

FOURTEENTH PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-House, Centre Market.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES WITH
James Scatliff, *Captain*	Jan. 27, 1851.	Jan. 26, 1855.
Philip O'Brien, 1*st Ass't Capt*	" 28, "	" 27, "
Thomas Farren, 2*d Ass't Capt*	" 28, "	" 27, "
James Davin	July 31, 1849.	July 30, 1853.
Daniel K. Crawford	August 22, "	August 21, "
Andrew Bracken	Sept. 6, "	Sept. 5, "
John W. Garside	" 10, "	" 9, "
Christopher Whelan	Nov. 20, "	Nov. 19, "
John R. Hopper	Feb. 9, 1850.	Feb. 8, 1854.
Patrick Lynch	" 8, "	" 7, "
George D. Sharpe	" 25, "	" 24, "
Bernard Conway	March 7, "	March 6, "
John McDonald	" 29, "	" 28, "
William Hays	April 3, "	April 2, "
Terrence O'Hare	" 17, "	" 16, "
Daniel Ebbetts	" 20, "	" 19, "
Henry Meyers	May 8, "	May 7, "
Patrick McGinn	" 24, "	" 23, "
Peter Daley	June 10, "	June 9, "
Edward A. Davin	July 8, "	July 7, "
Eli Ferry	" 9, "	" 8, "
Alexander Ross	" 9, "	" 8, "
William F. Sniffen	" 9, "	" 8, "
John Ahern	" 22, "	" 21, "
Moses Raynor	" 24, "	" 23, "
Michael Smith	" 25, "	" 24, "
Thomas W. Nowlan	" 25, "	" 24, "
Michael Finnegan	" 25, "	" 24, "
Thomas McGuire	" 25, "	" 24, "
Michael McGrade	" 25, "	" 24, "
Garrett Bennett	" 26, "	" 25, "
John Rese	" 27, "	" 26, "
Patrick Barnes	" 29, "	" 28, "
Thomas Baese	" 29, "	" 28, "
David Fenton	" 30, "	" 29, "
Jeremiah Callaghan	August 2, "	August 1, "
Andrew Heister	" 6, "	" 5, "
James White	" 19, "	" 18, "
William Mechan	" 24, "	" 23, "
Hugh O'Brien	Sept. 9, "	Sept. 8, "
Patrick Patten	" 9, "	" 8, "
Hugh Kearney	" 9, "	" 8, "
Thomas Mitchell	" 9, "	" 8, "
Wm. F. Crumwell	Nov. 7, "	Nov. 6, "
Joshua C. Ker	" 9, "	" 8, "
Arthur Doyle	" 12, "	" 11, "
Wm. B. Erickson	" 21, "	" 20, "
John McQuade	Jan. 27, 1851.	Jan. 26, 1855.
Wm. T. Ryer	Feb. 6, "	Feb. 5, "
Thomas Wallace	" 24, "	" 23, "

Doormen—Daniel O'Meara, Thomas Halfpenny.

FIFTEENTH PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-House, 220 Mercer st.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES WITH
Evert S. Voorhees, *Captain*	August 1, 1850.	July 31, 1854.
Peter A. Banta, 1*st Ass't Captain*	" 14, "	August 13, "
Amos Upham, 2*d Ass't Captain*	June 11, 1849.	June 10, 1853.
Richard Van Cott	" 12, "	" 11, "
Edward Foster	July 14, "	July 13, "
John Demarest	August 23, "	August 22, "
Joseph S Miller	Dec. 21, "	Dec. 20, "
Thomas L. Jackson	Jan. 17, 1850.	Jan. 16, 1854.
Rufus Weed	March 4, "	March 3, "
John Littell	May 9, "	May 8, "
Stewart J. Smith	June 7, "	June 6, "
William McDonald	" 7, "	" 6, "
Stephen Rockwell	" 24, "	" 23, "
Nathaniel Hepburn	August 1, "	July 31, "
Thomas Smith	" 1, "	" 31, "
John W. Bliven	" 1, "	" 31, "
Jonathan W. Odell	" 8, "	August 7, "
Samuel S. Davis	" 19, "	" 18, "
Robert Miller	" 21, "	" 20, "
Wright Case	" 21, "	" 20, "
Harman B. Lyng	" 21, "	" 20, "
William R. Banks	" 26, "	" 25, "
Samuel Helmes	" 26, "	" 25, "
John McKnight	Sept. 23, "	Sept. 22, "
William De Lamater	Oct. 10, "	Oct. 9, "
John S. Jones	" 10, "	" 9, "
Abraham Clearman	" 11, "	" 10, "
William Smart	Nov. 7, "	Nov. 6, "
Ira Looker	" 11, "	" 10, "
H. B. Atherton	" 18, "	" 17, "
Edgar Davis	Dec. 23, "	Dec. 22, "
Joseph P. Bull	Feb. 11, 1851.	Feb. 10, 1855.
Gustavus G. Bowker	" 21, "	" 20, "
William B. Willis	March 10, "	March 9, "
John W. Williams	" 10, "	" 9, "
John Leeds	" 29, "	" 28, "
William Wilson	April 4, "	April 3, "
John W. Tinsdale	May 5, "	May 4, "
Samuel Jackson	" 12, "	" 11, "
Lewis Winter	" 12, "	" 11, "
Isaac B. Torboss	" 17, "	" 16, "
James Speir	" 30, "	" 29, "
William Dilks	" 30, "	" 29, "
Edmund Bodine	July 9, "	July 8, "

Doormen—John Gillman, Abraham Forshay.

SIXTEENTH PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-House, 20th Street, between 7th and 8th Avenues.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES WITH
Thomas Stephenson, *Captain*	Sept. 4, 1850.	Sept. 3, 1854.
James M. Hoyt. 1*st Ass't Capt*	August 27, 1849.	August 26, 1853.
Henry B. May, 2*d Ass't Capt*	Feb. 21, 1850.	Feb. 20, 1854.
Alonzo Vredenburgh	June 12, 1849.	June 11, 1853.
John Shaw	Sept. 27, "	Sept. 26, "
Louis Dumoulin	" 27, "	" 26, "
Thomas Houston	Oct. 6, "	Oct. 5, "
Frederick W. Wiegand	Nov 22, "	Nov. 21, "
George Whiting	Feb. 2, 1850.	Feb. 1, 1854.
Jahn Graham	" 15, "	" 14, "
James Fisher	March 30, "	March 29, "
William Southerland, Jr.	April 15, "	April 14, "
Andrew McConnell	May 14, "	May 13, "
John Roach	July 8, "	July 7, "
John Graham	" 10, "	" 9, "
Charles Newhall	" 11, "	" 10, "
James Sweeney	" 17, "	" 16, "
Martin R. Beam	August 12, "	August 11, "
John P. Whitman	" 12, "	" 11, "
Christian Worth	" 13, "	" 12, "
Stephen H. Munn	" 13, "	" 12, "
Christian Miller	" 19, "	" 18, "
George Fisher	" 27, "	" 26, "
Bernard Sweeny	" 27, "	" 26, "
John Hough	" 27, "	" 26, "
William Townsend	" 27, "	" 26, "
James Bird	Sept. 9, "	Sept. 8, "
William Gregg	" 23, "	" 22, "
Peter Lambert	Oct. 7, "	Oct. 6, "
John G. Endler	" 19, "	" 18, "
Alfred Brewer	" 29, "	" 28, "
Nathaniel Mason	Nov. 19, "	Nov. 18, "
Samuel H. Waugh	Dec. 10, "	Dec. 9, "
Matthew Butler	" 26, "	" 25, "
William Booker	" 31, "	" 30, "
John V. L. Conover	Jan. 17, 1851.	Jan. 16, 1855.
Richard Gambling	" 18, "	" 17, "
Edward B. Smith	" 22, "	" 21, "
Willett Smith	" 22, "	" 21, "
William Worden	Feb. 1, "	" 31, "
David Roche	March 4, "	March 3, "
John J. Terhune	April 5, "	April 4, "
Richard A. Titus	" 5, "	" 4, "
William Lindsey	" 30, "	" 29, "
Jeremiah McCafferty	May 8, "	May 7, "
Nathaniel Patten	" 8, "	" 7, "
William Jackson	" 8, "	" 7, "
John H. Garbutt	" 8, "	" 7, "
Isaac B. Smith	" 14, "	" 13, "
Martin Fischer	" 29, "	" 28, "

Doormen—Jacob Vincent.

SEVENTEENTH PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-House, corner of Bowery and Third st.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES WITH
J. W. Salter, *Captain*	Nov. 30, 1849.	Nov. 29, 1853.
H. M. Hartt, 1*st Ass't Captain*	Dec. 4, "	Dec. 3, "
Nathaniel T. Hicks, 2*d Ass't Capt.*	July 29, 1850.	July 28, 1854.
William W. Young	June 5, 1849.	June 4, 1853.
Jaul Vill	" 6, "	" 5, "
Cornelius Francisco	July 2, "	July 1, "
John T. Peterson	August 16, "	August 15, "
Robert B. Gilmer	" 24, "	" 23, "
Isaac Edward	Nov. 13, "	Nov. 12, "
William G. Elder	Dec. 5, "	Dec. 4, "
John N. Hoffman	June 3, 1850.	June 2, 1854.
George Leviness	Sept. 2, "	Sept. 1, "
George W. Trenchard	" 10, "	" 9, "
James Goodman	" 18, "	" 17, "
Joseph Van Velsor	" 18, "	" 17, "
Matthias Weirisch	" 18, "	" 17, "
John Brewer	" 18, "	" 17, "
Edward Dennison	" 18, "	" 17, "
John Jousson	" 18, "	" 17, "
Jesse H. Patterson	" 28, "	" 27, "
George S. Ripley	Oct. 7, "	Oct. 6, "
William Raynor	" 7, "	" 6, "
Charles E. Mortimer	" 7, "	" 6, "
George D. Barnes	" 7, "	" 6, "
David Sherwood	" 7, "	" 6, "
John Long	" 7, "	" 6, "
David M. Jones	" 7, "	" 6, "
Henry Brown	" 8, "	" 7, "
Richard Jackson	" 11, "	" 10, "
John Austin	" 14, "	" 13, "
Louis Zeigler	" 15, "	" 14, "
William Robins, Jr	" 15, "	" 14, "
John Orr	" 22, "	" 21, "
William H. Brown	" 22, "	" 21, "
John T. Underhill	" 28, "	" 27, "
Jonathan Wiley	Nov. 4, "	Nov. 3, "
Oakley Farrington	" 11, "	" 10, "
Michael Frischman	Dec. 4, "	Dec. 3, "
William Byxbee	Jan. 4, 1851.	Jan. 3, 1855.
Frank White	March 1, "	Feb. 28, "
John Henry Voss	" 4, "	March 3, "
Benjamin Merritt	" 5, "	" 4, "
John M. Robbins	" 8, "	" 7, "
Lyman Crofeet	" 15, "	" 14, "
Thomas Cunningham	" 17, "	" 16, "
John D. Leach	" 28, "	" 27, "
Luke Usher	April 7, "	April 6, "
Richard Freed	" 7, "	" 6, "
William Kenny	" 19, "	" 18, "
Francis Spicer	May 17, "	May 16, "
William G. Egbert	June 7, "	June 6, "
William Andarisa	June 26, "	June 25, "
Philip McCluskey	July 14, "	July 13, "

Doormen—William D. Hammond, Daniel Mastin.

EIGHTEENTH PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-House, 29th st., between 4th and 5th avenues.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES WITH
John S. Whigam, *Captain*	Jan. 4, 1851.	Jan. 3, 1855.
Theron R. Bennett, 1*st Ass't Capt.*	May 10, 1850.	May 9, 1854.
Jas. M. Flandreau, 2*d Ass't Capt.*	" 10, "	" 9, "
Jacob Sutton	June 5, 1849.	June 4, 1853.
Philip Marks	July 5, "	July 4, "
Leidy Bilger	Sept. 29, "	Sept. 28, "
John Miller	Nov. 5, "	Nov. 4, "
John Cannon	" 17, "	" 16, "
John Monroe	Dec. 15, "	Dec. 14, "
George W. Walling	May 11, 1850.	May 10, 1854
James Randall	June 7, "	June 6, "
George Howard	" 7, "	" 6, "
Solomon Birdsall	" 11, "	" 10, "
Nathaniel Whigham	" 11, "	" 10, "
Walter Weeks	" 11, "	" 10, "
William H. Bell	" 11, "	" 10, "
William Peck	" 17, "	" 16, "
Andrew Trumpp	" 17, "	" 16, "
Michael Wallace	" 17, "	" 16, "
John E. Carman	" 18, "	" 17, "
Reuben E. Knapp	" 20, "	" 19, "
Albert M. Palmer	" 22, "	" 21, "
Henry Burden	" 24, "	" 23, "
John H. Watson	" 26, "	" 25, "
Benjamin Thomas	July 6, "	July 5, "
John Quinn	August 6, "	August 5, "
Daniel Roff	" 6, "	" 5, "
James Brown	" 7, "	" 6, "
Daniel Vandewater	Sept. 7, "	Sept. 6, "
Nathaniel B. Abbott	Sept. 9, "	" 8, "
David A. Pitcher	Oct. 7, "	Oct. 6, "
Daniel Doland	Nov. 9, "	Nov. 8, "
John Erb	Dec. 16, "	Dec. 15, "
Luke Gary	Jan. 3, 1851.	Jan. 2, 1855.
Frederick Kinnersley	Feb. 9, "	Feb. 8, "
Charles P. Bennett	" 26, "	" 25, "
Embly Cain	March 8, "	March 7, "
William J. Hardcastle	" 12, "	" 11, "
Ebenezer Loud	" 13, "	" 12, "
Israel A. Haight	" 14, "	" 13, "
James G. Haswell	" 27, "	" 26, "
Thomas McFarlane	April 16, "	April 15, "
John H. Arnoux	" 24, "	" 23, "
Washington Secor	" 24, "	" 23, "
Peter Hadden	May 12, "	May 11, "
David Heath	" 31, "	" 30, "

Doormen—James E. Graham, William Wilson.

NINETEENTH PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-Houses, Eighth Avenue, near 48th st., and at Yorkville.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES WITH
Hiram A. Maynard, *Captain*.....	Jan. 10, 1851.	Jan. 9, 1855.
Philip Miller, 1*st Ass't Capt*.....	April 15, "	April 14, "
Geo. W. Baldwin, 2*d Ass't Capt*.	" 15, "	" 14, "
William A Ross.....	Jan. 10, "	Jan. 9, "
John Colvin.....	" 10, "	" 9, "
John Drake.....	" 10, "	" 9, "
Jonathan Wade.....	" 10, "	" 9, "
George W. De La Hunt.....	" 10, "	" 9, "
Owen McClusky.....	" 10, "	" 9, "
Francis Woodruff.....	" 10, "	" 9, "
William Cartwright.....	" 10, "	" 9, "
George W. Rockwell.....	" 10, "	" 9, "
William V. Leggett.....	" 10, "	" 9, "
Johannes C. Slott.....	" 10, "	" 9, "
John Oat.....	" 13, "	" 12, "
Thomas McCracken.....	" 13, "	" 12, "
Philip Latimer.....	" 14, "	" 13, "
William Post.....	" 14, "	" 13, "
John M. Elmore.....	" 15, "	" 14, "
Moses J. Decker.....	" 15, "	" 14, "
John Kehler.....	" 15, "	" 14, "
John G Haviland.....	" 15, "	" 14, "
Robert L. Sands.....	" 16, "	" 15, "
James Bowley.....	" 16, "	" 15, "
Wm. Travis.....	" 16, "	" 15, "
Thomas Jackson.....	" 17, "	" 16, "
Christopher V. Hagan.....	" 17, "	" 16, "
Patrick Mahoney.....	" 18, "	" 17, "
Nathaniel Russell.....	" 18, "	" 17, "
Elijah Blakeman.....	" 20, "	Jan. 19, "
Edward Hoyt.....	" 22, "	" 21, "
Sylvanus Loud.....	" 22, "	" 21, "
John Berrien.....	" 22, "	" 21, "
Joseph Cook.....	" 27, "	" 26, "
Thomas C. Dixon.....	" 27, "	" 26, "
James Leggett.....	Feb. 18, "	Feb. 17, "
Thomas Eagin.....	April 7, "	April 6, "
Roswell B Richardson.....	" 21, "	" 20, "
James Brien.....	May 6, "	May 5, "

Doormen—Isaac R. Lake, James Flynn, James McKenney, John O'Brien.

POLICEMEN

DETAILED FOR ATTENDANCE ON COURTS.

Court of General and Special Sessions.

George Niven,	J. B. Smith,
George Dougherty,	J. H. Vantassell.
Howel Clarke,	William Peterson.
A. V. Davis,	Morris Oakley,
Adolphus Mincho,	Levi W. Peirce.

Special Term of the Supreme Court and Oyer and Terminer.

J. W. Odell,	William B. Willis,
T. L. Jackson,	N. Hepburn.

Superior Court.

A. Kelley,	E. V. Graham,
Samuel S. Acker,	James Goodman.

Court of Common Pleas.

Samuel C. Livingston,	Moses Edwards,
J. Hawes,	Thomas Boese.

Office of Commissioner of Alms House.

George Whiting, Sixteenth Patrol District.

POLICEMEN DETAILED FOR DUTY AS BELL RINGERS AT THE SEVERAL DISTRICT FIRE ALARM BELLS.

City Hall Cupola.

Henry Seawood,	Wm. F. Crumwell.

Centre Market Cupola.

David Fenton,	John W. Garside.
John Rese,	

Jefferson Market Tower.

George H. Ramppin,	Abm. D. Carlock.

Essex Market Cupola.

Thomas Coultas,
Wm. A. Waterbury,
Bartholomew Mealio

Union Market.

Thomas Megson,
John W. Stinman,
Henry Miner.

Bell Tower, Twenty-second street.

James Parish,
William Taylor,
John Skidmore.

POLICEMEN DETAILED FOR DUTY AS DOCK MASTERS FOR THE FOLLOWING WARDS, TO WIT:

1st. James Silvey,
Valentine Hinton,
2d. Walter Joyce,
3d. Benjamin Mott,
4th. Thomas C. Doyle,
5th. William Savidge,
5th. William W. Martin,
7th. David C. Harris,
8th. Isaac Johnson,
9th. John Pool,
11th. Hewlett Smith,
13th. Moses Brush.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Alfred Carson, *Chief Engineer*...	Res.,	185 Mott st., office, 21 Elizabeth st.
Michael Eichell, *Assist.*	*do*	"	161 Eldridge street.
John P. Lacour, *do*	*do*	"	179 Stanton street.
Robert McGinnis, *do*	*do*	"	17 Oliver street.
Thomas Monroe, *do*	*do*	"	233 Washington street.
Clark Vanderbilt, *do*	*do*	"	37 First street.
John A. Cregier, *do*	*do*	"	434 Hudson street.
George W. Varian, *do*	*do*	"	29th st , near Broadway.
Stephen T. Hoyt, *do*	*do*	"	120 Cherry street.
Samuel M. Phillips, *do*	*do*	"	4 Ninth street.
John Gillelan, *do*	*do*	"	Harlem.
Moses Jackson, *do*	*do*	"	105 Mott st.

WORKMEN EMPLOYED BY CHIEF ENGINEER AT PUBLIC YARD.

George W. Wheeler, *Foreman.*
William R. Edwards, *Hose Maker.*
Benjamin Austin, *do*
David Colan, *Hose Greaser.*
John C. Smith, *do*

OFFICERS OF THE DEPARTMENT.

Zophar Mills, *President*,.....114 Front st., h. 191 Madison street.
Charles McDougal,, *Vice Pres't*..... 84 Cedar st., h. 6 Wooster street.
John J. Tindale, *Secretary*..... 21 Elizabeth st., h. 210 Eldridge st.
John S. Giles, *Treasurer*.....168 Walker st., h. 176 Walker st.
David Theall, *Collector*.....162 Rivington street.

TRUSTEES.

John Coger, Jr., *President*.....233 South street, h. 73 Henry street.
James Kelly, *Secretary*..... 79 Beekman street.

COMMITTEE ON DONATIONS.

Henry A. Burr..... 7 Hague street, h 49 Forsyth street.
Wm. Wakeman..... 79 Maiden lane, h. 41 Montgomery st.
James Pryer.....250 Front street, h. 216 Henry street.
John B Peck.....504 Grand street.
Adam P. Pentz..... 39 Burling slip, h. 213 Tenth street.
Peter H. Titus..... 38 Market street.
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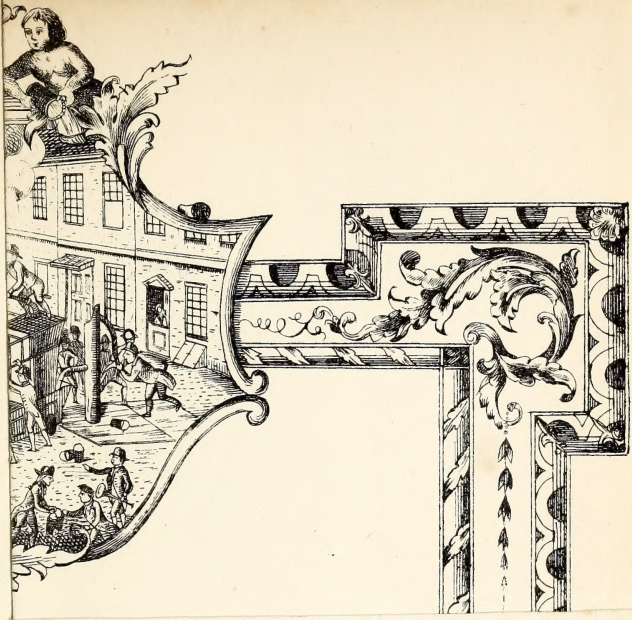

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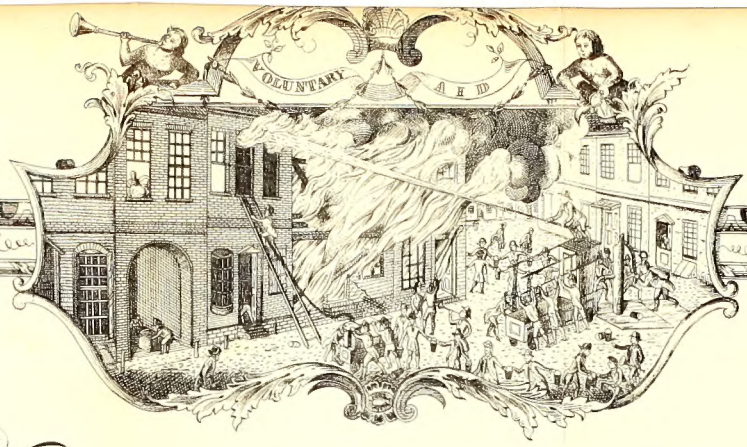


These are to Certify that David Coutant

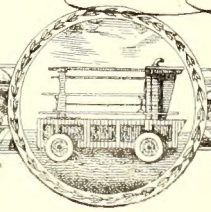
is pursuant to Law nominated and appointed

one of the Firemen of the City of

New York & Foreman to Hook & Ladder Comp.ª 18

July 2nd 1787.

Robt. Benson Esqr



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COMMITTEE ON SCHOOLS.

Jonas N. Phillips,
John B. Peck,
Henry A. Burr.

COMMITTEE ON FINES AND PENALTIES.

Peter H. Titus,
Wm. Wakeman,
Jonas N. Phillips.

COMMITTEE OF FINANCE.

Henry A. Burr,
Peter H. Titus,
John Coger, jr.

COMMITTEE ON WOOD AND COAL.

John Coger, jr.,
Adam Pentz,
James Pryer.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

Peter H. Titus, William Wakeman.
Jonas N. Phillips,

PLACES APPOINTED TO KEEP THE BOOKS TO RECEIVE REPORTS OF CHIMNEYS BEING ON FIRE.

In all the Engine, Hose, and Hook and Ladder Companies' houses, and Chief Engineer's office, No. 21 Elizabeth street.

All complaints of violation of the laws of the State and of the Corporation, relative to fires, powder, construction of buildings, &c., are to be made to the

FIRE WARDENS.

John B. Miller, *President*	Residence,	22 Stanton street.
Benjamin Cartwright	"	211 Clinton street.
John Reese	"	53 Elizabeth st.
Thomas Brese	"	242 Elizabeth st.
Franklin Waterbury	"	85 Hester street.
Francis Hagadorn	"	81 Madison st.
James Gilmore	"	170 Orchard street.
William Drew	"	304 Pearl street.
William B. Hays	"	44 Renwick st.
William Wessels	"	59 27th street.
John Grossin	"	175 Mulberry st.
David Theall	"	34 Downing st.

And at the office, No. 21 Elizabeth street.

JOHN J. TINDALE, *Clerk*.

POLICE STATION HOUSES,

WHERE BOOKS ARE KEPT TO RECEIVE REPORTS OF CHIMNEYS BEING ON FIRE.

WARDS.

1. Franklin Market.
2. No. 70 Beekman street.
3. No. 38 Robinson street.
4. No. 9 Oak street.
5. No. 48 Leonard street.
6. Old Watch House, Halls of Justice.
7. Corner of Pike and South sts., up stairs.
8. Old Watch House, corner Prince and Wooster sts.

WARDS.

9. Jefferson Market.
10. Essex Market.
11. Union Market.
13. Cor. Attorney and Delancey sts.
14. Centre Market.
15. No. 220 Mercer street.
16. Twentieth street, between 7th and 8th avenues.
17. Corner of Third st. and Bowery.
18. Ward Station.

FIRE APPARATUS.

There are thirty-four engines in the city, including those at Harlem, Yorkville, Manhattanville and Hardenville.

There are forty-nine hose carriages and eight hook and ladder trucks, including one at Harlem and one at Yorkville, all of which are in possession of the necessary apparatus for service, except one hose company, which has no location.

There is also three hydrant companies whose duty it is to take charge of the hydrants in case of fire.

FIRE DISTRICTS.

The city is divided into Eight Fire Districts, as follows:—

The First Fire District shall comprise all that part of the city lying north of Twenty-second street, and east of the Sixth avenue.

The Second Fire District shall comprise all that part of the city lying north of Twenty-second street, and west of the Sixth avenue.

The Third Fire District shall comprise all that part of the city bounded and containing as follows: Beginning at the foot of North Moore street on the North river, and extending easterly in a straight line to the corner of Leonard and Church streets; thence northerly, in a straight line to the corner of Eighth avenue and Twenty-second street; thence westerly, along Twenty-second street to the North river; thence southerly, along the North river to the place of beginning.

The Fourth Fire District shall comprise all that part of the city bounded and containing as follows: Beginning at the corner of Leonard and Church streets; running thence northerly, in a straight line to the corner of Eighth avenue and Twenty-second street; thence easterly, along Twenty-second street to Lexington avenue; thence southerly, in a straight line to the corner of Elm and Leonard streets; and thence westerly, in a straight line to the corner of Church and Leonard streets.

The Fifth Fire District shall comprise all that part of the city bounded and containing as follows: Commencing at the corner of Elm and Leonard streets; and running thence northerly, in a straight line to the corner of Lexington avenue and Twenty-second street; thence easterly, along Twenty-second street to the East river; thence southerly, and along the East river to Fourteenth street; thence south-westerly, in a straight line to the corner of Leonard and Orange streets; thence westerly, in a straight line to the place of beginning.

The Sixth Fire District shall comprise all that part of the city bounded and containing as follows: Beginning at the corner of Leonard and Orange streets; and running thence easterly, in a straight line to the foot of Market street on the East river; thence along the East river to Fourteenth street; thence south-westerly, in a straight line to the place of beginning.

The Seventh Fire District shall comprise all that part of the city bounded and containing as follows: Beginning at the foot of Market street on the East river; and running thence westerly, in a straight line to the corner of Leonard and Elm streets; thence southerly, along a straight line intersecting Wall street at the junction of Nassau, Wall and Broad streets, and continued through the Battery to the North river.

The Eighth Fire District shall comprise all that part of the city bounded and containing as follows: Beginning at the foot of North Moore street on

the North river; and running thence easterly, in a straight line to the corner of Leonard and Elm streets; thence southerly, along a straight line intersecting with Wall street at the junction of Nassau, Wall and Broad streets; and continued through the Battery to the North river.

In case of fire in the First Fire District, the signal shall be one stroke from the alarm bells.

In the	Second	District,	two strokes.
"	Third	"	three "
"	Fourth	"	four "
"	Fifth	"	five "
"	Sixth	"	six "
"	Seventh	"	seven "
"	Eighth	"	eight "

All the engine, hose and hook and ladder companies located in the First and Second Districts, shall be required to do duty in both the said districts.

All the engine, hose and hook and ladder companies located in the Third and Fourth Districts, shall be required to do duty in both said districts.

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Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, Nov. 9, 1850.
Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen, Nov. 11, 1850.
Approved by the Mayor, Nov. 25, 1850.

The force in each Fire District is as follows:—

First District.

Seven engines, five hose carriages, and two hook and ladder trucks.

Second District.

Five engines, three hose carriages, and one hook and ladder truck.

Third District.

Three engines and five hose carriages.

Fourth District.

Three engines, six hose carriages, and two hook and ladder trucks.

Fifth District.

Three engines and six hose carriages.

Sixth District.

Five engines, thirteen hose carriages, and two hook and ladder trucks.

Seventh District.

Four engines, six hose carriages, and one hook and ladder truck.

Eighth District.

Four engines and five hose carriages.

There are in the Department one thousand eight hundred and ninty-eight men.

There are 55,950 feet of hose belonging to the Department.

The following is a list of Fires each year, since August 1st, 1837, with the damage to buildings and stocks:

DATE.	NO.	LOSS.	
	Fires.	Buildings.	Stock.
August 1st, 1837, to August 1st, 1838,	161	$278,744 00	$334,035 00
" 1st, 1838, to " 1st, 1839,	166	273,872 00	446,817 00
" 1st. 1839, to " 1st, 1840,	160	701,578 00	3,866,260 00
" 1st, 1840, to " 1st, 1841,	126	93,355 00	177,220 00
" 1st, 1841, to " 1st, 1842,	214	176,680 00	241,330 00
" 1st, 1842, to " 1st, 1843,	221	72,594 00	173,810 00
" 1st, 1843, to " 1st, 1844,	203	78,825 00	179,832 00
" 1st, 1844, to " 1st, 1845,	*260	175,861 00	293,969 00
" 1st, 1845, to " 1st, 1846,	253	55,301 00	219,933 00
" 1st, 1846, to " 1st, 1847,	334	168,307 00	374,135 00
" 1st, 1847, to " 1st, 1848,	298	195,556 00	477,168 00
" 1st, 1848, to " 1st, 1849,	326	203,619 00	449,720 00
" 1st, 1849, to " 1st, 1850,	289	278,725 00	1,016,368 00
	3119	$2,755,027 00	$3,255,597 00

* Without the fire of July 19, 1845, which is estimated at $6,000,000.

FIRE DEPARTMENT FUND.

TRUSTEES' REPORT FOR 1850.

In all enlightened communities, institutions are established, and societies organized, having for their object the amelioration of the condition of those, who. by the infirmities of age, the loss of health, and other unavoidable misfortunes, are compelled to seek the aid of their more fortunate and prosperous fellow citizens. In no city of the Union do greater causes exist for the formation of these charitable institutions, than that of New York; and no city responds more cheerfully to the appeals of suffering humanity than this great commercial emporium.

Among these institutions, the Fire Department charity can be ranked, as perhaps the most extensive and useful of any existing in this metropolis. Founded more than half a century since, it has steadily progressed and prospered, and is now second to no kindred institution in the number of its recipients, or in the extent of its benevolence. It differs essentially from almost every other institution, in this particular, that the duties performed by its officers are of an entirely voluntary character. No Trustee, no Treasurer, and no Secretary, in fact no officer entrusted with its management, receives any compensation whatever for his services; and yet the du-

ties are at times most onerous, delicate and responsible. Considering the immense amount annually distributed—the many years the charity has been in existence, and the number of persons who have had the management of its affairs, it is in the highest degree flattering to the pride of the Department to say, that every dollar has been faithfully accounted for, and its integrity to the present day continued unimpaired. This is the highest tribute that can be paid to the character of its officers, and can be well calculated to inspire our citizens with increased confidence as to the manner in which the charity has been, and is still administered.

During the past year, but little variation has occurred in the operations of the Board, beyond the usual order of business relating to its affairs, excepting the pleasure the Trustees experience in announcing to the Department, that by the blessing of Providence they have been enabled to add the sum of thirteen thousand six hundred and thirty-four dollars and seventy-five cents to the Permanent Fund, which sum includes the two thousand one hundred dollars for the benefit of the family of the late Mr. John L. Guyre, of Engine Company No. 14. This increase of the Permanent Fund has been accomplished by several causes—the most prominent of which is the splendid donation of M'lle Jenny Lind; also the unprecedentedly large sum realized from the firemen's ball at the Astor Opera House, and the amount paid in by the different Foreign Insurance Agencies, who have promptly complied with the requirements of the law passed by the Legislature. The whole invested fund of the Department at the present period consists in the aggregate of fifty-two thousand eight hundred and fifty dollars, of which amount five thousand seven hundred and thirty-five dollars and twenty-five cents is held in trust. The whole amount is invested as follows, viz: fifty-two thousand six hundred dollars is loaned on bond and mortgage on good productive real estate, and the balance, two hundred and fifty dollars, is in the stock of the Manhattan Bank.

The Trust Fund consists of six hundred and thirty five dollars and twenty-five cents, invested for the benefit of the widow and orphans of David Raymer; one thousand dollars for the widow and orphan children of James S. Wells; two thousand dollars for the widow and orphan children of George Kerr; and the sum of two thousand one hundred dollars for the widow and orphan children of the late John L. Guyre, already referred to; which several amounts have been subscribed by benevolent individuals and associations, the Common Council and members of the Department: the interest of which is for the exclusive benefit of the widows and orphans, (during their widowhood and minority of the children,) but eventually reverts to the Permanent Fund of the Department. The Treasurer reported on hand, last year, a balance of two thousand and eighty-seven dollars and eighty-five cents; since which period he has received the sum of twenty-six thousand four hundred and fifty-two dollars and six cents, (which includes several bonds paid in and cancelled,) making in the aggregate the sum of twenty-eight thousand five hundred and thirty-nine dollars and ninety-one cents; out of which have been expended, in various deeds of charity,—for coal, wood, shoes, funeral expenses, donations to sick and disabled firemen, and the widows' pensions—the sum of ten thousand one hundred and seventy-three dollars and six cents; invested, thirteen thousand; and re-invested, five thousand dollars; leaving a balance deposited in the Butchers' and Drovers' Bank, to the credit of the Fire Department Fund, of three hundred and sixty-six dollars and eighty-five cents. To those unacquainted with the fact, that the annual expenditures amount to more than ten thousand dollars, the Permanent Fund would appear to afford ample means for the wants of the Department; but when it is remembered that the whole amount annually derived therefrom is only about three thousand dollars, it

will not be considered strange, that the Trustees recommend unceasing exertions on the part of the friends and members of the Departments, to continue the good work of obtaining donations from the charitably disposed. The pensions alone paid to the widows are more than five thousand dollars per annum, which is irrespective of large sums paid for shoes, and wood and coal, and other contingencies; it must be recollected also, that, although the Permanent Fund has been increased this year, it has been the result of a cymbination of circumstances, which may perhaps not occur again; and also, that this is the first time for several years past, that anything has been added to that fund—the whole income of the Department having been required to meet its current and necessary expenditure.

In the last Report, we had the gratification of acknowledging the liberality of the Hon. Myndert Van Schaick of this city, in presenting the Department with two Free Scholarships in the New York University: the Trustees again refer to it, for the purpose of calling attention to the fact, that by the conditions of the gift, two pupils must be placed upon the Scholarships during the present year. The Trustees take especial pleasure in referring to the liberal donation of three thousand dollars, an accession to the funds of the Department, received from M'lle Jenny Lind. The obligations under which the firemen of the city are placed, by this generous and accomplished lady, have been already appropriately expressed by the Department. Distinguished above all others of her sex and time, for the success that has attended the exercise of her professional talents, she has obtained a wider and more enduring fame, by associating her name with the pity that feels for the misfortunes of others, and the open-handed generosity with which she gives to the poor widow and the orphan, lightening up their dark pathway of life by the warm sunshine of her expansive benevolence.

It is a subject of congratulation, that one of the causes calling for heavy expenditures by the Trustees, in the previous year, has not existed since the date of their last Report. No scourge like the Cholera has multiplied the applications for relief; but the claims upon the fund have been, nevertheless, numerous and urgent—and are, many of them, of a character well adapted to awaken the warmest sympathy, together with the sincerest regret, whenever a comparison has been instituted between the number of those entitled to assistance and the inadequate means placed at the disposal af the Trustees for that purpose.

Government, in pursuance of an enlightened policy, awards its lands, gratuities and pensions, to the wife or children of the soldier who is slain in battle, or who, from disease contracted in the service, is disabled for life. But what provision is made for the widow or orphans of the fireman who falls in the discharge of his duty, or whose health has been undermined by frequent exposure in rescuing the property of his fellow citizens? We are far from supposing that the policy applied to the one case should be extended to the other; yet what Government cannot, the benevolent among us can do.

How few in this great metropolis are aware that 231 widows, and not less than 640 children, receive the aid of the charity of this Department—a charity which has distributed, since its foundation, upwards of three hundred thousand dollars, and which is yet entirely dependent upon voluntary contributions, with the exception of the tax imposed by the Legislature upon the Foreign Insurance Companies, and recently transferred from the State Fund to the Fire Department. If a united and continuous effort upon the part of all the friends of the Fire Department were put forth, to awaken public attention to the condition of its charitable fund—to the number of meritorious individuals now depending, and who must hereafter de-

pend upon it in a measure for relief—to the fact, that not a dollar of its principal has ever been wasted, abstracted, or misapplied—we should have occasion, we are sure, to acknowledge with gratitude, that the gifts and bequests of the charitably disposed, had enabled the Trustees to afford assistance in some good degree commensurate with the claims upon them—and would be spared the reflection, that the largest contribution yet made to the funds, has been received from one who is a stranger among us, and upon whom the Department had no claim but the claim of universal charity.

The foregoing comprises a true statement of the condition of the finances of the Department, and of the operations of the Board, during the past year. The suit of Jeremiah B. Taylor is still undecided. The terms of service of Peter H. Titus, Adam P. Pentz, and Jonas N. Phillips, expire at the annual meeting, it will therefore be necessary to elect three Trustees for three years each, and a Trustee for two years in place of Samuel Barstow, Esq., resigned.

All of which is respectfully submitted by order of the Board of Trustees.

JOHN COGER, Jr., President.

JAMES KELLY, Secretary.

New York, 28th November, 1850.

SCHEDULE OF OFFICERS

WHOSE SALARIES ARE PAID FROM THE CITY TREASURY.

NAMES.	OFFICES.	BY WHOM APPOINTED.	COMPENSATION.		
			FEES.	PER DIEM.	ANNUAL.
Ambrose C. Kingsland	Mayor	The People	.....	.....	$3000 00
F. A. Tallmadge	Recorder	do	.....	.....	3000 00
David T. Valentine	Clerk of the Common Council	Board of Aldermen	.....	.....	1500 00
Do	do Board of Supervisors	.....	.....	.....	200 00
Do	Preparing minutes for publication	.....	.....	.....	150 00
Do	Allowed by virtue of resolution of Common Council, approved July, 25, 1848.	.....	.....	.....	500 00
James M. Wilson	Deputy Clerk Board of Aldermen	Board of Aldermen	.....	.....	1000 00
John H. Chambers	Assistant do do	do do	.....	.....	750 00
Henry Ten Eyck	do do do	do do	.....	.....	600 00
J. B. Young	do do do	do do	.....	.....	400 00
T. S. Nims	Librarian	do do	.....	.....	250 00
Amos Jones	Messenger Board of Aldermen	Board of Aldermen	.....	.....	600 00
John Fowler, jr	Reader do do	Pres. Board of Aldermen	.....	.....	250 00
Richard Scott	Clerk of the Board of Assistants	Board of Ass't Aldermen	.....	.....	2000 00
John J. Doane	Reader do do	Pres. Board of Assistants	.....	.....	250 00
N. M. Slidell	Sergeant-at-arms Board of Assistants	Board of Ass't Aldermen	.....	.....	600 00
C. Burdett	Mayor's Clerk	Mayor and Board of Ald.	.....	.....	900 00

Asher Taylor	First Marshal	Mayor and Board of Ald.			1000 00
George W. Hinchman	Assistant Clerk and Mayor's Messenger.	do do			600 00
FINANCE DEPARTMENT.					
Joseph R. Taylor	Comptroller	The People			3000 00
W. H. Dikeman	Stock Clerk	Comp. and Bd. of Ald.			1200 00
James Timpson	Auditor	do do			1500 00
F. A. Southmayd	Book keeper	do do			1200 00
Joseph C. Pinckney	Redemption Clerk	do do			1000 00
G. L. Taylor	Assistant Auditor	do do			1000 00
Charles W. Lawrence	Clerk to Comptroller	do do			1000 00
Harvey Hart	Receiver of Taxes	Mayor and Board of Ald.			2000 00
William A. Darling	Deputy Receiver of Taxes	Rec. of Taxes & Board Ald.			1500 00
John P. Hone	First Clerk to Receiver of Taxes	do do			1200 00
James W. Farr	Second do do	do do			700 00
Henry K. Frost	Third do do	do do			700 00
John S. Vredenburgh	Fourth do do	do do			700 00
Peter Fargis	Messenger to Receiver of Taxes	do do			450 00
George J. Rogers	Collector of City Revenue	Comp. and Board of Ald.	fees.		
Shepherd Knapp	Chamberlain	Mayor and Board of Ald.			500 00
Do	Allowed for Clerk-hire				400 00
James Taylor	Keeper City Hall and Park	Comp. and Board of Ald.			1000 00
John Kidney	Assistant Keeper	Common Council			500 00
TAX COMMISSIONERS.					
Jonathan W. Allen	Tax Commissioner	Board of Supervisors			2000 00
John Delamater	do do	do do			2000 00
George H. Purser	do do	do do			2000 00
J. Andrews	Clerk to Tax Commissioners	do do			700 00
George W. Dilks	do do	do do			600 00
A. Kummel	do do	do do			600 00
STREET DEPARTMENT.					
John T. Dodge	Street Commissioner	The People			2000 00
Charles Turner	Deputy Street Commissioner	St. Com. and Board of Ald.			1000 00

NAMES.	OFFICES.	BY WHOM APPOINTED.	COMPENSATION.		
			FEES.	PER DIEM.	ANNUAL.
P. H. Kingsland	Sale and Redemption Clerk	St. Com. and Board of Ald.	.....	.....	1000 00
Olcott Rhines	Map Clerk	do do	.....	.....	600 00
Michael G. Hart	Contract Clerk	do do	.....	.....	750 00
Charles A. Thompson	Copying do	do do	.....	.....	500 00
William Poulson	Inspector of Side-walks	do do	.....	$2 00	
Samuel H. De Mott	Assessors	do do	fees.	.....	
Francis Nicholson		do do	"	.....	
Isaac Wm. Smith		do do	"	.....	
Abner Sanford	Collector of Assessments	do do	"	.....	
Zelotus Wilson	Deputy Collectors of Assessments	Col Assess. and Bd. of Ald.	"	.....	
James Ackerman		do do	"	.....	
Lemuel G. Evans		do do	"	.....	
Moody Cummings	Superintendent of Wharves	St. Com. and Board of Ald.	.....	.....	1000 00
William Kerr	Superintendent of Land and Places	do do	.....	$2 00	
DEPARTMENT OF REPAIRS AND SUPPLIES.					
William Adams	Commissioner of Repairs and Supplies	The People	.....	.....	2000 00
Rollin R. Rice	Clerk to do do do	Com. R. and S. and Bd. Ald.	.....	.....	750 00
Charles M. Graham, jr	Superintendent of Roads	do do	.....	.....	1250 00
Job L. Black	do Repairs to Pub. Build.	do do	.....	.....	1500 00
Do	Allowed for horse and wagon	.....	.....	.....	250 00
Oscar F. Benjamin	Clerk to Superintendent of Repairs	Supt. Rep. and Board Ald.	.....	.....	750 00
Jefferson Berrian	Superintendent of Pavements	Com. R. and S. & Bd. Ald.	.....	.....	1500 00
Do	Allowed for horse and wagon	.....	.....	.....	250 00
Jacob E. Howard	Clerk to Superintendent of Pavements	Sup. Pavements & Bd. Ald.	.....	.....	750 00
Alfred Carson	Chief Engineer Fire Department	Fire Department & Com. C.	.....	.....	2000 00
DEPARTMENT OF STREETS AND LAMPS.					
Jacob L. Dodge	Commissioner of Streets and Lamps	The People	.....	.....	1500 00

Benjamin F. Pease	Clerk to Commiss'r of Streets and Lamps	Com. of Sts. and Bd. Ald.			600 00
Smith D. Bellows	Superintendent of Lamps and Gas	do do			1500 00
Do	Allowed for horse and wagon				250 00
Pierre Briggs	Clerk to Superintend. of Lamps and Gas	Sup. of Lamps and Bd. Ald			600 00
Seventy-five Lamp-lighters		Sup. of Lamps and Gas		$1 25	
Silvanus Gedney	Superintendent of Streets	Com. Sts & L'ps & Bd. Ald.			1500 00
Edward Green	Clerk to Superintendent of Streets	Sup. Sts. and Board of Ald.			700 00
Thomas C. Gould	Superintendent of Markets	Com. Sts & L'ps & Bd. Ald.			1000 00
Simeon Outwater	Clerk Washington Market	Sup. Markets & Board Ald.			500 00
Levi Folsom	Deputy Clerk Washington Market	do do			500 00
Hiram Corwin	Clerk Fulton Market	do do			800 00
William F. Clark	do Catharine do	do do		$2 00	
Allen Thomas	do Essex do	do do			500 00
Hyatt Lyons	do Union do	do do		$1 00	
William E. Smith	do Jefferson do	do do			515 00
John Vandewater	do Tompkins do	do do			500 00
John Forshay	do Clinton do	do do			600 00
Benjamin F. Johns	do Franklin do	do do			365 00
Francis Degez	do Centre do	do do			578 00
CROTON AQUE'T DEPARTMENT.					
Nicholas Dean	President	Mayor and Board of Ald.			2000 00
Theodore R. De Forest	Assistant Commissioner	do do			2000 00
Alfred W. Craven	Chief Engineer	do do			2000 00
Edward H. Tracy	Engineer	Croton Aqueduct Board			2000 00
John P. Flender	Water Purveyor	Cro. Aque't Bd. & Bd. Ald.			1500 00
Revo C Hance	Register Water-rents	Mayor and Board of Ald.			1500 00
William Fardon	Assistant Register Water-rents	Register and Board of Ald.			1000 00
Henry L. Robertson	Clerk to President	Croton Aqueduct Board			1000 00
Alexander F. Dodge	Sewer Contract Clerk	do do			1000 00
William V. Lecount	Clerk to Register	Register and Board of Ald.			600 00
John M. Morenus	do do	do do			600 00
Gilbert H. White	do do	Croton Aqueduct Board			600 00

NAMES.	OFFICES.	BY WHOM APPOINTED.	COMPENSATION.		
			FEES.	PER DIEM	ANNUAL.
Seymour V. Moody	Clerk to Register	Croton Aqueduct Board	.....	.....	600 00
Thomas Hook	do do	do do	.....	.....	600 00
Edmund E. Dean	General Clerk	do do	.....	.....	600 00
N. C. Robertson	Turncock	do do	.....	.....	638 75
George W. Smock	Assistant Turncock	do do	.....	$1 50	
John J. Concklin	Messenger	do do	.....	.....	470 00
John D. Vanburk	do to Engineer's Office	do do	.....	.....	216 00
James Gulick	Foreman Pipe Yard	do do	.....	.....	626 00
Daniel Adamson	Superintendent at Croton Dam	do do	.....	.....	600 00
James Scott	do Sing Sing	do do	.....	.....	548 00
Barney See	do Tarrytown	do do	.....	.....	470 00
James Bremner	do Dobbs Ferry	do do	.....	.....	470 00
James Berwick	do Yonkers	do do	.....	.....	470 00
John L. Berrian	do Fordham	do do	.....	.....	470 00
Jacob Moore	do High Bridge	do do	.....	.....	470 00
John Geary	Keeper Receiving Reservoir	do do	.....	.....	730 00
Simeon Pomeroy	do Distributing do	do do	.....	.....	730 00
CITY INSPECTOR'S DEPARTMENT.					
Alfred W. White	City Inspector	The People	.....	.....	1500 00
Charles Riddle	Deputy City Inspector	City Inspector and Bd. Ald.	.....	.....	1000 00
Samuel A. Van Derlip	Clerk to City Inspector	do do	.....	.....	650 00
Bernard H. Romans	Temporary Clerk to City Inspector	.....	.....	.....	650 00
Nineteen Health Wardens	Health Wardens	do do	.....	each	500 00
ALMS-HOUSE DEPARTMENT.					
E. B. Corwin	Chief Clerk	Board of Governors	.....	.....	1000 00
Joshua Phillips	Clerk to Governors	do do	.....	.....	1000 00

John Stephens	Supply Clerk	Board of Governors		1000 00
ALMS-HOUSE.				
John Fitch	Warden	Board of Governors		1200 00
Thomas J. Marshall	Clerk	do do		600 00
John Ahern	Register Clerk	do do		375 00
Elijah T. Simpson	Engineer	do do		500 00
Eliza Heaton	Matron	do do		320 00
Elizabeth Brown	Assistant Matron	do do		280 00
Margaret Keating	Help to Matron	do do		100 00
James Gelston	Captain of Dead Boat	do do		240 00
George Grassell	Gardener	do do		400 00
BELLEVUE HOSPITAL.				
Charles Sutton	Acting Warden	Board of Governors		1200 00
John Fray	Apothecary	do do		600 00
Eliza Hegeman	Matron	do do		300 00
Jane King	Nurse	do do		280 00
Stephen Smith	House Surgeon	do do		130 00
Eusebius L. Jones	do	do do		130 00
Richard H. Alexander	House Physician	do do		130 00
Frederick Nash	do	do do		130 00
William Hyslop	do	do do		130 00
John Moneypenny	Senior Assistant	do do		130 00
Henry K. Olmsted	do	do do		130 00
Charles H. Rawson	do	do do		130 00
James B. Adams	do	do do		130 00
Aaron P. Dalrymple	do	do do		130 00
Henry Harrison	Assistant Clerk	do do		150 00
Nine Orderlies		do do	each $60	540 00
Eighteen do		do do	" 30	540 00
Three Nurses		do do	" 60	180 00
Twenty-seven Nurses		do do	" 30	810 00
CITY PRISON.				
William Edmonds	Warden	do do		1500 00

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George F. Coachman	Clerk	Board of Governors			600 00
John C. Covel	Physician	do do			600 00
John Gray	Deputy	do do			500 00
Alexander Jackson	do	do do			500 00
Peter Crosby	do	do do			500 00
Charles M. Hoople	do	do do			500 00
Lewis M. Halloran	do	do do			500 00
Adam C. Flannagan	do	do do			500 00
John D. Lindon	do	do do			500 00
Flora Foster	Matron	do do			400 00
Phebe E. Grundy	Assistant Matron	do do			250 00
Anna McHugh	Night do	do do			200 00
John H. Coachman	Night Watch	do do			365 00
Benj. C. Sparks	Driver	do do			900 00
SECOND DISTRICT PRISON.					
Asa Butman	Deputy Keeper	do do			600 00
Wm. Earl	do do	do do			600 00
THIRD DISTRICT PRISON.					
Edward J. Oliver	Deputy Keeper	do do			600 00
Thomas Ahern	do do	do do			600 00
Matthew Daly	Special Deputy	do do			600 00
LUNATIC ASYLUM.					
M. H. Ranney	Resident Physician	Board of Governors			1500 00
J. C. Rutherford	Clerk	do do			600 00
Zetus Searle	Chaplain	do do			400 00
Bernard Gormley	Engineer	do do			400 00
Patrick Weir	Gardener	do do			300 00

Three Male Attendants		Board of Governors		ea. $300			900 00
Thomas D. Jones	Attendant	do	do				168 00
Michael Cordial	Watchman	do	do				240 00
Frances Vidal	Matron	do	do				200 00
Alice Fraser	Attendant	do	do				100 00
Mary Goodwin	do	do	do				150 00
Five Female Attendants	do	do	do	each $96			480 00
Mary Walsh	Sewing Room	do	do				30 00
OUT-DOOR DEPARTMENT.							
George Kellock, jr	Superintendent	Board of Governors					1000 00
George B. Gilbert	Clerk	do	do				700 00
Sparhawk Parsons	do	do	do				600 00
John Ormond	do	do	do				600 00
John McGrath	Visitor	do	do				700 00
Joel Platt	do	do	do				700 00
James Quackinbush	do	do	do				700 00
John Mullane	Hearse Driver	do	do				500 00
Robert McDade	Assistant do	do	do				365 00
William Saul	do do	do	do				365 00
Godfrey Kieffer	Doorkeeper	do	do				360 00
John Brewer	Inspector of Beef	do	do				500 00
PENITENTIARY.							
Joseph Keen	Warden	Board of Governors					1200 00
William B. Flagler	Clerk	do	do				700 00
J. H. Ridabock	Deputy Warden	do	do				650 00
Robert McGee	Shoemaker	do	do				570 00
Owen L. Lamb	Blacksmith	do	do				570 00
William W. Dow	Carpenter	do	do				570 00
Philip E. Browne	Quarry Master	do	do				570 00
Hazekiah Brainerd	do do	do	do				570 00
Abraham H. Quick	Mason	do	do				570 00
James Cushing	Stone Cutter	do	do				570 00

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Joshua Sherwood	Farmer	Board of Governors			500 00
Fifteen Keepers		do do each $500			7500 00
John Schureman	Assistant Carpenter	do do			320 00
Ann P. Batey	Matron	do do			250 00
Mary W. Raymond	Matron	do do			250 00
Sarah Bird	Matron	do do			250 00
John P. Curran	Keeper	do do			500 00
John P. Flynn	do	do do			500 00
PENITENTIARY HOSPITAL.					
William Kelly	Resident Physician	Board of Governors			1500 00
Stephen Rogers	Assistant do	do do			130 00
James U. Church	do do	do do			130 00
Isaac P. Foot	do do	do do			130 00
William Law	do do	do do			130 00
Mark Blumenthal	Apothecary	do do			430 00
Sarah Knox	Matron	do do			320 00
Ellen Buckley	do	do do			100 00
Mary Cunningham	Cook	do do			72 00
RANDALL'S ISLAND.					
Jonathan Stearns	Warden	Board of Governors			1000 00
Isaac W. Haff	Clerk	do do			450 00
Norman Squires	Farmer	do do			200 00
Griffith Griffiths	Coxswain	do do			400 00
Rufus Ripley	Keeper	do do			400 00
Ebenezer Jessup	Engineer	do do			450 00
Jane Ley	Matron	do do			450 00
Three Assistant Matrons		do do each $300			900 00
Susan L. Clifford	Play Room	do do			300 00

Catharine T. Goodenough	Sewing Room	Board of Governors			200 00
Mary Baldwin	Nurse	do do			100 00
Ann Brady	Wash House	do do			100 00
Henry N. Whittelsey	Resident Physician	do do			1000 00
James H. Trumbull	Assistant do	do do			130 00
Mary Strong	Matron	do do			370 00
Bridget Byron	Assistant Matron	do do			300 00
Angeline Henry	do do	do de			230 00
Margaret Mess	Nurse	do do			78 00
Two Nurses		do do			120 00
Thomas B. Tappen	Storekeeper	do do			700 00
STORE-HOUSE, R. I.					
N. P. Anderson	Storekeeper	Board of Governors			1000 00
S. M. Drew	Clerk	do do			600 00
WORK-HOUSE.					
Harmon Eldredge	Superintendent	Board of Governors			1200 00
Charles W. Smyth	Clerk	do do			600 00
James Kennedy	Baker	do do			600 00
Cornelius L. Purdy	Carpenter	do do			620 00
John H. Stevens	Shoemaker	do do			520 00
Two Keepers		do do	each $500		1000 00
Timothy Daly	Keeper	do do			400 00
LAW DEPARTMENT.					
Henry E. Davies	Counsel to the Corporation	The People			3500 00
Do	Allowed for Clerk hire				2100 00
Theodore E. Tomlinson	Corporation Attorney	Counsel and Board of Ald.			2000 00
Do	Allowed for doing business of Alms House Department				3000 00
James S. Thayer	Public Administrator	do do			1250 00
James W. Faulkner	Regulator of Public Clocks	Mayor and Board of Ald.			300 00
Ebenezer Evans	Messenger Hall of Records				500 00
POLICE.					
George W. Matsell	Chief of Police	Mayor and Board of Ald.			1600 00

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W. Mackellar	Clerk in office of Chief of Police	Chief of Police and Bd. Ald.			1000 00
N. B. Mountfort	Justice, 1st District Police Court	The People			1750 00
Jeremiah Lothrop	do. do. do. do.	do			1750 00
Sidney H. Stuart	Clerk, do. do. do.	Mayor and Board of Ald.			1166 66
James H. Welsh	do. do. do. do.	do do			1166 66
James Nesbitt	Scrivener, do. do. do.	do do			800 00
James T. M. Bleakley	Justice, 2d District do. do.	The People			1750 00
James McGrath	do. do. do. do.	do			1750 00
James M. Murray	Clerk, do. do. do.	Mayor and Board of Ald.			1166 66
William L. Davison	do. do. do. do.	do do			1166 66
B. W. Osborne	Justice, 3d District do. do.	The People			1750 00
C. B. Timpson	do. do. do. do.	do			1750 00
R. H. Johnson	Clerk, 3d District Police Court	Mayor and Board of Ald.			1166 66
John Lalor	do do do do	do do			1166 66
Robert Silvey	Captain of Police, 1st Ward	Mayor, Ald. and Assistants.			700 00
William Fulton	Ass't do do do	do do			600 00
Thomas Snodgrass	do do do do	do do			600 00
56 Policemen to 1st Ward		do do			28000 00
James Leonard	Captain do 2d Ward	do do			700 00
Arthur Keating	Ass't do do do	do do			600 00
Alfred Chancellor	do do do do	do do			600 00
37 Policemen to 2d Ward		do do			18500 00
J. A. P. Hopkins	Captain do 3d Ward	do do			700 00
J. P. Olmstead	Ass't do do do	do do			600 00
Ira Goodenow	do do do do	do do			600 00
46 Policemen to 3d Ward		do do			23000 00
J. Murray Dichett	Captain do 4th Ward	do do			700 00
William Baird	Ass't do do do	do do			600 00
William S. Williston	do do do do	do do			600 00
52 Policemen to 4th Ward		do do			26000 00

Daniel Carpenter	Captain of Police 5th Ward			Mayor, Ald. and Assistants.			700 00
T. Moneypenny	Ass't do	do	do	do	do		600 00
Samuel Reynolds	do do	do	do	do	do		600 00
52 Policemen to 5th Ward				do	do		26000 00
George J. Smith	Captain	do	6th Ward	do	do		700 00
John Ganett	Ass't do	do	do	do	do		600 00
Peter L. Feirty	do do	do	do	do	do		600 00
53 Policemen to 6th Ward				do	do		26500 00
William A. Haggerty	Captain	do	7th Ward	do	do		700 00
Barnes Bennet	Ass't do	do	do	do	do		600 00
Edward Merritt	do do	do	do	do	do		600 00
60 Policemen to 7th Ward				do	do		30000 00
Charles S. Turnbull	Captain	do	8th Ward	do	do		700 00
Morris De Camp	Ass't do	do	do	do	do		000 00
Hart B. Weed	do do	do	do	do	do		000 00
53 Policemen to 8th Ward				do	do		26500 00
Thomas Lovett	Captain	do	9th Ward	do	do		700 00
William Y. Taft	Ass't do	do	do	do	do		600 00
Jacob S. Sebring	do do	do	do	do	do		600 00
47 Policemen to 9th Ward				do	do		23500 00
Benj. W. Bradford	Captain	do	10th Ward	do	do		700 00
Wm. H. Sparks	Ass't do	do	do	do	do		600 00
Thaddeus C. Davis	do do	do	do	do	do		600 00
44 Policemen to 10th Ward				do	do		22000 00
Peter Squires	Captain	do	11th Ward	do	do		700 00
Thomas Hogan	Ass't do	do	do	do	do		600 00
John Cameron	do do	do	do	do	do		600 00
44 Policemen to 11th Ward				do	do		22000 00
Galen T. Porter	Captain	do	12th Ward	do	do		700 00
James Crowe	Ass't do	do	do	do	do		600 00
William G. Graham	do do	do	do	do	do		600 00
27 Policemen to 12th Ward				do	do		13500 00
John F. Russell	Captain	do	13th Ward	do	do		700 00
Aaron H. Sharpe	Ass't do	do	do	do	do		600 00
Ira A. Clarke	do do	do	do	do	do		600 00
45 Policemen to 13th Ward				do	do		22500 00

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James Scatliff	Captain of Police 14th Ward	Mayor, Ald. and Assistants.	.....	.....	700 00
Philip O'Brien	Ass't do do do	do do	.....	.....	600 00
Thomas Farren	do do do do	do do	.....	.....	600 00
47 Policemen to 14th Ward	.....	do do	.....	.....	23500 00
Evert S. Voorhees	Captain do 15th Ward	do do	.....	.....	700 00
Peter A. Banta	Ass't do do do	do do	.....	.....	600 00
Amos Upham	do do do do	do do	.....	.....	600 00
41 Policemen to 15th Ward	.....	do do	.....	.....	20500 00
Thomas Stephenson	Captain do 16th Ward	do do	.....	.....	700 00
James M. Hoyt	Ass't do do do	do do	.....	.....	600 00
Henry B. May	do do do do	do do	.....	.....	600 00
47 Policemen to 16th Ward	.....	do do	.....	.....	23500 00
J. W. Salter	Captain do 17th Ward	do do	.....	.....	700 00
H. M. Hartt	Ass't do do do	do do	.....	.....	600 00
Nathaniel T. Hicks	do do do do	do do	.....	.....	600 00
50 Policemen to 17th Ward	.....	do do	.....	.....	25000 00
John S. Whigam	Captain do 18th Ward	do do	.....	.....	700 00
Theron R. Bennet	Ass't do do do	do do	.....	.....	600 00
James M. Flandreau	do do do do	do do	.....	.....	600 00
43 Policemen to 18th Ward	.....	do do	.....	.....	21500 00
Hiram A. Maynard	Captain do 19th Ward	do do	.....	.....	700 00
Philip Miller	Ass't do do do	do do	.....	.....	600 00
Geo. W. Baldwin	do do do do	do do	.....	.....	600 00
36 Policemen to 19th Ward	.....	do do	.....	.....	18500 00
FIRE WARDENS.					
James Gilmore	Fire Warden	Fire Dept. & Com. Council.	.....	.....	250 00
Benjamin Cartwright	do do	do do	.....	.....	250 00
John Rese	do do	do do	.....	.....	250 00

Thomas Boese	Fire Wardens	Fire Dep. and Com. Council		250 00
F. Waterbury	do do	do do		250 00
W. Drew	do do	do do		250 00
F. Hagardorn	do do	do do		250 00
W. B. Hayes	do do	do do		250 00
John B. Miller	do do	do do		250 00
William Wessels	do do	do do		250 00
John Crossen	do do	do do		250 00
David Theall	do do	do do		250 00
J. J. Tindall	Clerk to Fire Wardens	do do		500 00
Nathaniel B. Blunt	District Attorney	The People		3000 00
A. O. Hall	Ass't do	District Attorney		1500 00
Henry Vandervoort	Clerk Court of Sessions	Court of Sessions		2000 00
John Sparks	Deputy Clerk do	do do		1250 00
Thomas J. Oakley	Chief Justice Superior Court	The People		3500 00
Lewis H. Sandford	Associate do do do	do		3500 00
Elijah Paine	do do do do	do		3500 00
John Duer	do do do do	do		3500 00
John L. Mason	Associate Justice Superior Court	The People		3500 00
William W. Campbell	do do do do	do		3500 00
D. P. Ingraham	First Judge Common Pleas	do		3000 00
Charles P. Daly	Associate do do do	do		3000 00
Lewis B. Woodruff	do do do do	do		3000 00
James Lynch	Justice Marine Court	do		2000 00
Edward E. Cowles	do do do	do		2000 00
Isaac Dayton	Clerk Marine Court	Board of Supervisors		1500 00
James Green	Justice Ward Court	The People		1500 00
Bartholomew O'Connor	do do do	do		1500 00
William B. Meech	do do do	do		1500 00
William H. Van Cott	do do do	do		1500 00
Charles H. Dougherty	do do do	do		1500 00
Anson Willis	do do do	do		1500 00
I. B. Bachelor	Clerk Ward Court	Mayor and Board of Ald		1000 00
Thomas F. Peers	do do do	do do		1000 00

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William E. Smith	Clerk Ward Court	Mayor and Board of Ald			1000 00
David Seaman	do do do	do do			1000 00
Edward S. McPherson	do do do	do do			1000 00
John Waite	do do do	do do			1000 00
COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.					
George W. Riblet	County Clerk	The People			3000 00
W. H. Riblet	Deputy County Clerk	County Clerk			1500 00
Thomas H. Stoneall	Assistant do do	do do			850 00
David A. Fowler	Clerk Superior Court in Equity	do do			1000 00
G. McDonald	do do do at Law	do do			1000 00
William Sinclair	Ass't Cl'k do do do	do do			800 00
N. C. Gridley	Clerk Circuit Court	do do			800 00
E. F. Corey	do Common Pleas, 1st Part	do do			900 00
Samuel Brown	do Common Pleas, 2d Part	do do			650 00
James Nack	First Searcher	do do			900 00
Edward A. Fraser	Assistant do	do do			700 00
John H. Elliott	do do	do do			600 00
Peter Lemon	do do	do do			600 00
John Harper	Book-keeper	do do			800 00
Worthington Hodgkinson	Naturalization Clerk	do do			800 00
John D Hoyt	Clerk Chambers Common Pleas	do do			900 00
L. P. Hudson	do do Superior Court	do do			800 00
William H. Aldis	Recording Clerk	do do			600 00
Wm. Haviland	do do	do do			650 00
Wm. Armstrong	Clerk Special Term	do do			800 00
Joseph B. Hart	Recording Clerk	do do			800 00
Thomas C. Acton	do do	do do			600 00
Wm. Patterson	do do	do do			600 00

REGISTER'S OFFICE.					
Cornelius V. Anderson	Register	The People			3000 00
Carlisle Norwood	Deputy Register	Register			1500 00
Henry Miller	Searcher	do			1200 00
Isaac Fitz	do	do			1200 00
E. W. Degrove	do	do			1200 00
G. L. Wolf	do	do			1200 00
Thomas L. Blackman	do	do			1200 00
John A. Cregier	Examiner	do			1200 00
Philip H. Jonas	Collector	do			800 00
George Mortimer	Recording Clerk	do	pr fol	5 cts.	
G. W. Truss	do do	do	do	5 cts.	
William B. Rockwell	do do	do	do	5 cts.	
Samuel Q. Betts	do do	do	do	5 cts.	
James A. Betts	do do	do	do	5 cts.	
William Williamson	do do	do	do	5 cts.	
Samuel W. Seely	do do	do	do	5 cts.	
James A. Greig	do do	do	do	5 cts.	
William F. T. Chapman	do do	do	do	5 cts.	
William Dodge	do do	do	do	5 cts.	
William Cox	do do	do	do	5 cts.	
Wm. H. Pierson	do do	do	do	5 cts.	
Chas. E. Anderson	do do	do	do	5 cts.	
C. Goodrich Boyce	do do	do	fees.		
H. A. Allen	do do	do	fees.		
E. A. Fargis	do do	do	fees.		
Drake B. Palmer	do do	do	fees.		
Chas. B. Foote	do do	do	fees.		
Thomas Kennedy	Porter	do			144 00
SURROGATE'S OFFICE.					
A. W. Bradford	Surrogate	The People			3000 00
Gabriel Van Cott	Chief Clerk	Surrogate			1000 00

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			FEES.	PER DIEM	ANNUAL.
Cornelius Minor	General Clerk	Surrogate	.....	.....	1000 00
William Ripley	Recording Clerk	do	pr fol	5 cts.	
David R. Jaques	Engrossing Clerk	do	do	5 cts.	
CLERK SUPERIOR COURT OFFICE.					
D. R. Floyd Jones	Clerk	Justices Superior Court	.....	.....	2500 00
George T. Maxwell	Deputy Clerk	Clerk Superior Court	.....	.....	900 00
George H. C. Lynch	do do in Equity	do do	.....	.....	900 00
Henry H. Rice	Assistant do	do do	.....	.....	600 00
Jesse Oakley	do do	do do	.....	.....	600 00
Joseph McKeon	Superintendent of Common Schools	Board of Supervisors	.....	.....	*
William A. Walker	Commissioner of Jurors	Bd. of Sup. and Judges Sup. Court and Court of Common Pleas.	.....	.....	1500 00
A. Gilbert	Clerk Board of Education	Board of Education	.....	.....	1500 00
John Tryon	Attendant Chamber of Common Pleas	Mayor	.....	.....	500 00
S. W. Dusenbery	Crier Court Common Pleas	do	.....	.....	500 00
L. Hoffman	do Supreme Court	do	.....	.....	500 00
J. Hitchcock	do do do	do	.....	.....	500 00
George W. Schureman	do do do	do	.....	.....	500 00
Ezra S. King	Attendant Marine Court	do	.....	.....	500 00
S. F. Skidmore		do	.....	.....	500 00
John Curry		do	.....	.....	500 00
C. U. Combs		do	.....	.....	500 00
H. Bertholf		do	.....	.....	500 00

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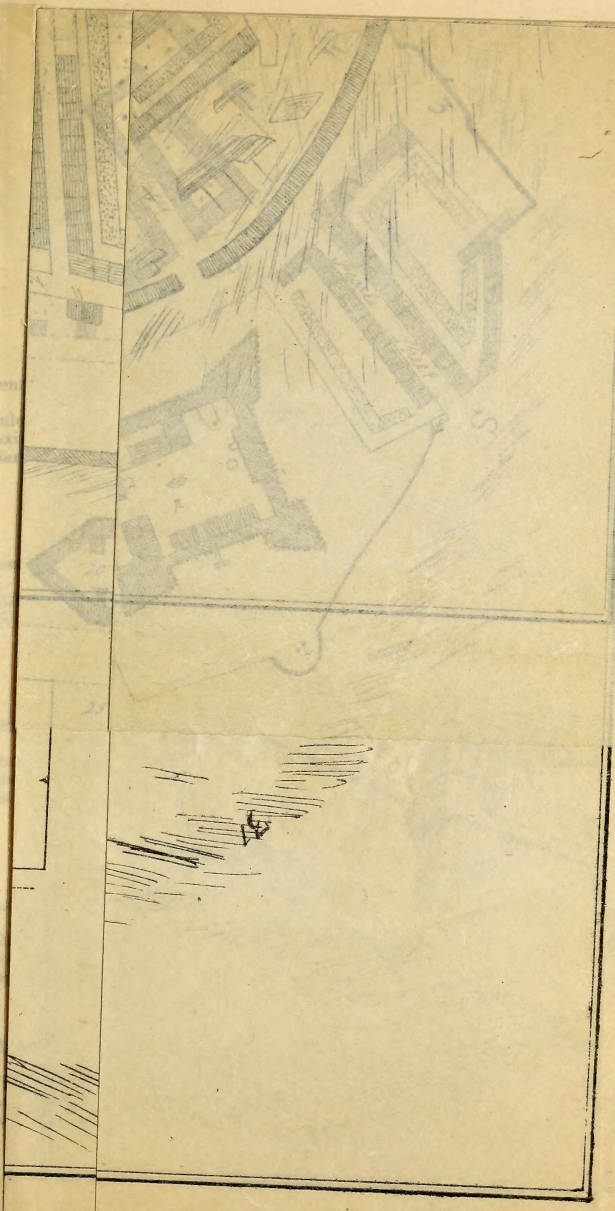

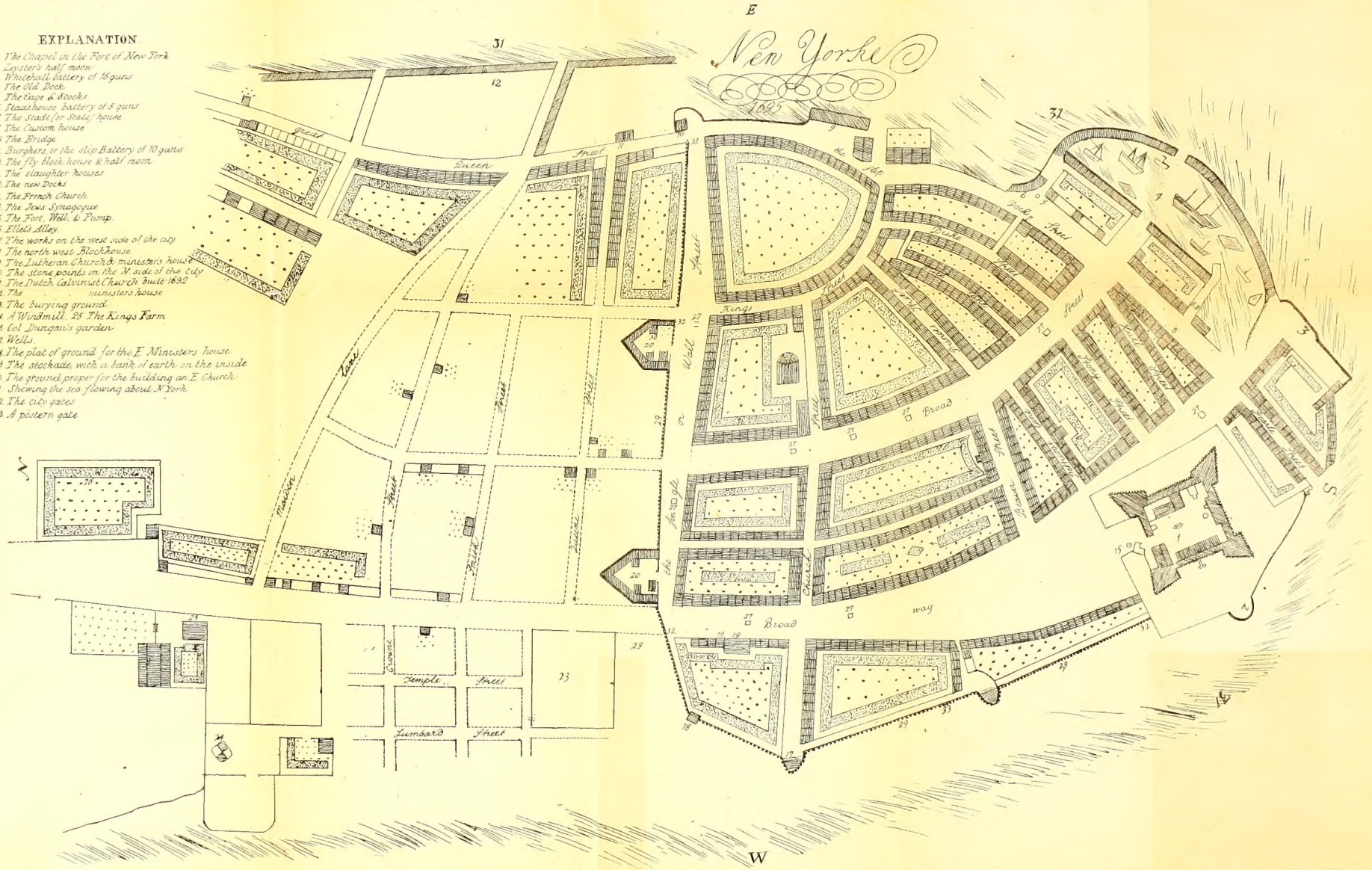
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1. The Chapell in the Fort of New York
2. Leyster's half moon
3. Whitehall battery of 18 guns
4. The Old Dock
5. The Cage & Stocks
6. Stadthouse battery of 5 guns
7. The Stadt/or State/ house
8. The Custom house
8.8 The Bridge
9. Burghers or the slip Battery of 10 guns
10. The fly Block house & half moon
11. The slaughter houses
12. The new Docks
13. The French Church
14. The Jews Synagogue
15. The Fort, Well, & Pump.
16. Elletts Alley
17. The works on the west side of the city
18. The north west Blockhouse
19 19. The Lutheran Church & ministers house
20 20. The stone points on the N. side of the city
21. The Dutch Calvinist Church Built 1692
22. The ministers house
23. The burying ground
24. A Windmill. 25 The Kings Farm
26. Col Dungans garden
27. 27. Wells
28. The plat of ground for the E. Ministers house
29. 29. The stockade, with a bank of earth on the inside
30. The ground proper for the building an E. Church
31. 31. Shewing the sea flowing about N. York
32. 32. The city gates
33. A postern gate
E
New Yorke
1695
W
Great
Queen
Smith
Wall
Pearl
Broad
Broad way
Temple
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Church
Parade
Kings
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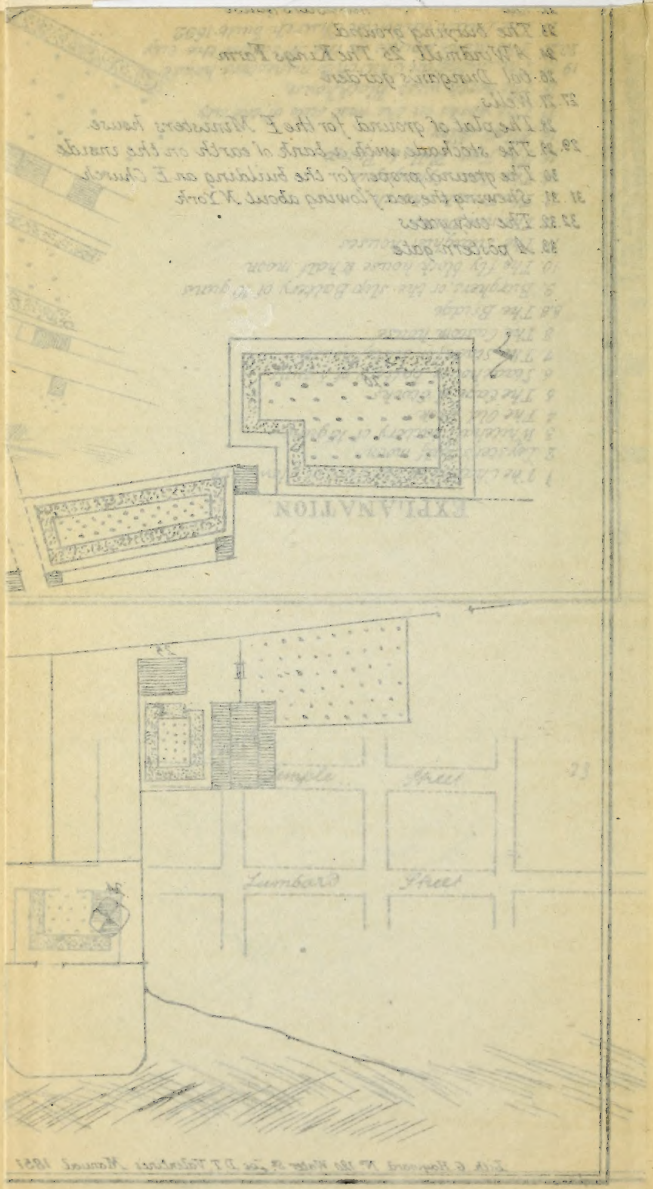
Lumbard
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MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL,

FROM 1653 TO JANUARY, 1850.

1653.

Burgomasters.

Arent Van Hatten, Martin Krigier.

Schepens.

Paulus Leendersen Vandergrist, Willhelm Beeckman,
Maximillianus Van Gheel, Pieter Wolfersen Van Couwenhoven.
Allard Anthony,

Schout.

Cornelius Van Tienhoven.

1654.

Burgomasters.

Arent Van Hatten, Martin Krigier.

Schepens.

Paulus Leendersen Vandergrist, Pieter Wolfersen Van Couwenhoven,
Wilhelm Beeckman, Jochem Pietersen Ruyter.

Schout.

Cornelius Van Tienhoven.

1655.

Burgomasters.

Allard Anthony, Oloff Stevenson Van Cortland.

Schepens.

Johannes Depeyster, Jacob Strycker.
Johannes Nevius, Johannes Van Bruggh.
Jan Vinse,

Schout.

Cornelius Van Tienhoven.

1656.

Burgomasters.

Oloff Stevenson Van Cortland, Allard Anthony.

Schepens.

Johannes Van Bruggh, Jan Vinse,
Jacob Strycker, Wilhelm Beeckman.
Hendrick Kipp,

1657.

Burgomasters.

Allard Anthony, Paulus Leendersen Vandergrist.

Schepens.

Wilhelm Beeckman, Adrian Blommert,
Govert Lockermans, Johannes De Peyster.
Hendrick Jaunsen Vandervin.

Schout.
Nicassius D'Sille.

1658.

Burgomasters.
Paulus Leendersen Vandergrist, Oloff Stevenson Van Cortland.

Schepens.
Johannes De Peyster, Cornelius Stenwyck,
Pieter Wolfersen Van Couwenhoven, Isaac De Foreest.
Jacob Strycker,

Schout.
Nicassius D'Sille.

1659.

Burgomasters.
Oloff Stevenson Van Cortland, Martin Krigier.

Schepens.
Pieter Wolfersen Van Couwenhoven, Hendrick Jansen Vandervin,
Johannes Pieterson Van Bruggh, Jacob Kip,
Jeronimus Ebbingh,

Schout.
Nicassius D'Sille.

1660,

Burgomasters.
Allard Anthony, Martin Krigier.

Schepens.
Jacob Strycker, Timotheus Gabry,
Govert Lockmans, Jacobus Backer.
Cornelius Stenwyck,

Schout.
Nicassius D'Sille.

1661.

Burgomasters.
Allard Anthony, Paulus Leendersen Vandergrist.

Schepens.
Timothy Gabry, Johannes Van Bruggh,
Pieter Wolfersen Van Couwenhoven, Jan Vinse.
Jeronimus Ebbingh,

Schout,
Peter Tonneman.

1662.

Burgomasters.
Cornelius Stenwyck, Oloff Stevenson Van Cortlandt.

Schepens.
Timotheus Gabry, Johannes De Peyster,
Johannes Van Bruggh, Jacob Kip.
Jacques Cosseau,

Schout.
Allard Anthony.

1663

Burgomasters.

Oloff Stevenson Van Cortlandt, Martin Crigier.

Schepens.

Jacob Strycker, Jacob Kip,
Pieter Van Couwenhoven, Jacques Cosseau.
Jan Vigne,

Schout.

Peter Tonneman.

1664.

Burgomasters.

Paulus Leendersen Vandergrist, Cornulis Stenwyck.

Schepens.

Jacobus Bakker, Nicolas De Myer,
Timotheus Gabry, Christophel Hoglunt.
Isaak Greveract,

Schout.

Peter Tonneman.

1665.

Burgomasters.

Cornelis Steenwyck, Oloff Stevenson Van Cortlandt.

Schepens.

Timotheus Gabry, Jacob Kip,
Johannes Van Brugh, Jacques Cosseau.
Johannes De Peyster,

Schout.

Allert Anthony.

1665. (15th June.*)

Adermannen.

Thomas Willett, *Major*, Cornelius Van Ruyven,
Thomas Delavall, John Laurens,
Oloff Stevenson Van Cortlandt, Johannes Van Bruggh.

Sherriffe.

Allard Anthony.

1666.

MAYOR.

Capt. Thomas De Lavall.

ALDERMEN.

Capt. Thomas Willett, Mr. John Lawrence,
Mr. Oloff Stevenson, Mr. Cornelis Steenwyck.
Mr. Johannes De Peyster,

SHERIFF.

Mr. Allard Anthony.

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*The City was captured by the English in 1664. The first appointment of Magistrates by Col. Nichols, the new Governor, was at this date.

1667.

MAYOR.
Capt. Thomas Willett.

ALDERMEN.
Capt. Thomas De Lavall,
Mr. Oloff Stevenson,
Mr. Jo. Lawrence,
Mr. Jo. De Peyster,
Mr. Isaacq Bedloo.

SHERIFF.
Capt. John Mannings.

1668.

MAYOR.
Mr. Cornelis Steenwyck.

ALDERMEN.
Mr. Ralph Whitefieid,
Capt. Mathyas Nicolls,
Mr. Isaacq Bedloo,
Mr. Francois Boon,
Mr. Christofel Hooghlant.

SHERIFF.
Capt. John Manning.

1669.

MAYOR.
Mr. Cornelis Steenwyck.

ALDERMEN.
Mr. Ralph Whitfield,
Capt. Mathyas Nicolls,
Mr. Isaacq Bedloo,
Mr. Johannes De Peister,
Mr. Nicholas De Meyer.

SHERIFF.
Capt. John Manning.

1670.

MAYOR.
Mr. Cornelis Steenwyck.

ALDERMEN.
Mr. Thomas De Lavall,
Mr. Mathyas Nicolls.
Mr. Cornelius Van Ruyven,
Mr. John Lawrence,
Mr. Nicolas De Meyer.

SRERIFF.
Capt. John Manning.

1671.

MAYOR.
Capt. Thomas De Lavall.

ALDERMEN.
Capt. Mathyas Nicolls,
Mr. John Lawrence,
Mr. Oloff Stevenson,
Mr. Johannes Brugh,
Mr. Isaacq Bedloo.

SHERIFF.
Mr. Allard Anthony.

1672.

MAYOR.
Capt. Mathias Nicolls.

ALDERMEN.

Mr. John Lawrence,
Thomas Lovelace, Esq.
Mr. Cornelius Van Ruyven,
Mr. Johannes Van Brugh,
Mr. Isaacq Bedloo.

SHERIFF.

Mr. Allard Anthony.

1673.

MAYOR.

Mr. John Lawrence.

ALDERMEN.

Mr. Cornelius Van Ruyven,
*Mr. Isaacq Bedloo,
Mr. Johannes De Peyster,
Mr. William Darvall,
Mr. Ffrans Rombout.

SHERIFF.

Mr. Allard Anthony.

1673. (*August* 17.)

Burgomasters.

Johannes Van Brugh,
Johannes De Peyster.
Egedius Luyck.

Schepens.

Willem Beeckman,
Jeronimus Ebbingh,
Jacob Kip,
Lauwrens Vander Spiegel,
Geleyn Verplanck.

Sheriff.

Anthony De Milt.

1674. (*August* 17.)

Burgomasters.

Johannes Van Brugh,
Willem Beeckman.

Schepens.

Jacob Kip,
Francois Rombouts,
Gulaine Verplanck,
Stoffel Hoogland.
Stephen Van Cortland.

Sheriff.

Capt. Wm. Knyff.

1674. (*August.*)

Burgomasters.

Johannes Van Brugh,
Willem Beeckman.

Schepens.

Jacob Kip,
Gulaine Verplanck,
Francis Romboult,
Stoffel Hoogland.
Stephen Cortlandt.

Schout.

Captain William Knyght.

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* Mr. Isaac Bedloo being dead, Mr. Oloff Stevenson was made an Alderman in his room

1675.--(*Approved by the Governor, October 17th.*)*

MAYOR.
William Dervall.

ALDERMEN.

Gabrielle Minvielle,
Nicholas De Meyer,
Thomas Gibbs,

Thomas Lewis,
Stephanus Van Cortlandt.

1676.

MAYOR.
Nicholas De Meyer,

DEPUTY MAYOR.
Thomas Gibbs.

ALDERMEN.

Stephanus Van Cortland,
Francis Romboult,

Johannes De Peyster.
Thomas Snawsell.

1677.

MAYOR.
Stephanus Van Cortlandt,

DEPUTY MAYOR.
Johannes De Peyster.

ALDERMEN.

John Inyan,
Francis Romboult,
Thomas Snawsell,

Peter Jacobs Marius,
Guilaine Verplanck.

1678.

MAYOR.
Thomas Delavell,

DEPUTY MAYOR.
John Inyan.

ALDERMEN.

Francis Romboult,
Peter Jacobs Marius,

Guilaine Verplanck,
Christopher Hooghlandt.

1679.

MAYOR.
Francis Romboult.

ALDERMEN.

William Beekman,
Johannes Van Bruggh,
Thomas Lewis,

Peter Jacobs Marius,
Guilaine Verplanck,
Samnel Wilson.

1680-1.

MAYOR.
William Dyer.

ALDERMEN.

William Beekman,
Johannes Van Brughen,
Peter Jacobs Marius,

Samuel Wilson,
James Graham,
John Lawrence.

1682.

MAYOR.
Cornelius Steenwick.

*9th October, 1674, peace was concluded between Holland and England, and the City restored to the English.

ALDERMEN.

Villiam Beekman,	Peter Jacobs Marius,
ohn Lawrence,	James Graham,
amuel Wilson,	Johannes Van Brugen.

In 1683,

The city wrs divided into six wards, and the citizens of the several wards were authorized annually to elect an Alderman and Common Councilmen to represent them in the City Council.

The Governor appointed temporarily until the election—

MAYOR.			RECORDER.
Cornelius Steenwick.			James Graham.
Nicholas Bayard, *Alderman* for the South Ward.			
John Inyan,	"	"	Dock "
William Pinhorn,	"	"	East "
Guilaine Verplanck,	"	"	North "
John Robinson,	"	"	West "
William Cox,	"	"	Out "

1684.

MAYOR.	RECORDER.
Gabriel Minveille.	James Graham.

ALDERMEN.

Capt. Andrew Bowne,	Isaac Van Vleek,
Nicholas Bayard,	John Robinson,
John Lawrence,	Capn. Nich. Wm. Stephenson.

COMMON COUNCILMEN.

John Kendrick Byrne,	Samuel Wilson,
William Merritt,	Gabriel Minvielle,
Johannes Kipp,	Arien Cornelison.

1685.

MAYOR.	RECORDER.
N. Bayard.	James Graham.

ALDERMEN.

Andrew Bowne,	John Delavall,
John Robinson,	Abraham De Peyster,
William Beekman,	Johannes Kipp.

ASSISTANTS, OR COMMON COUNCILMEN.

John Hendrick Byrne,	Wolfert Webber,
Abraham Corbett,	Nicholas De Meyer,
Johannes Van Bruggh,	Teunis Dekay.

1668.

MAYOR.	RECORDER.
S. Van Cortlandt.	James Graham.

ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
Francis Romboult,	Samuel Wilson,
Johannes Van Brugh,	William Coen,
Isaac Van Vleek,	Balthazar Bayard,
Johannes De Bruyne,	Teunis Dekay,
Jacobus Van Cortlandt,	Peter Delancy,
Thomas Crundall.	Johannes Van Cortlandt.

1687.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Stephanus Van Cortlandt,	James Graham.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
West.	Francis Romboult.	Balthazar Beard.
East,	John Lawrence.	Dirk Van Clyff.
North,	Johannes Kipp.	Teunis Dekay.
Dock,	Thomas Crundall.	Anthony Demilt.
South,	Paulus Richards.	Peter Delancy.
Out,	William Merritt.	Arien Cornelison.

1688.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Peter Delancey.	James Graham.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
West,	Kendrick Van Veurdeun.	Suvet Olfets.
Dock,	John Spratt.	Garret Duyckynk.
South,	Robert Walters.	Johannes Provost.
North,	Cornelius Plevier.	Hendrick Ten Eyck.
East,	John D. Crowne.	Peter Adolph.
Out,	Johannes Covenhoven.	Wolfort Webber.

1689—90.

MAYOR.

P. De La Noy, Esq.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
West,	Henry Van Vurden.	Groert Olphelese.
Dock,	John Spratt.	Garret Duyckynck.
South,	Robert Walters.	John Provoost.
North,	Cornelius Plevier.	Henry Ten Eyck.
East,	John De Bruyn.	Peter Adolph.
Out,	Johannes Vancowenhoven.	Wolfert Webber.

(See Lester's Proclamation in another part of this book, which was intended t have been published in the Manual of 1848.)

1691.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	John Lawrence.	William Pinhorne.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
North,	Johannes Kipp.	Teunis Dekay.
Out,	John Merritt.	N. W. Stevenson.
South,	Brandt Schuyler.	Stephen Delancy.
East,	William Beekman.	Ebenezer Willson.
Dock,	William Merrit.	Thomas Clarke.
West,	B. Bayard.	Thos. Coken.

1691—2.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Abraham De Peyster.	Wm. Pinhorne.
WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	William Beekman,	Ebenezer Wilson,
Dock,	William Merritt,	Thomas Clarke,
North,	Johannes Kipp,	Teunis Dekay,
South,	Brandt Schuyler,	Stephen Delancy,
West,	Robert Darkins,	Peter King,
Out,	John Merritt.	Garret Douw.

1692—3.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Abraham De Peyster.	James Graham.
WARDS.	ALDERMAN.	ASSISTANT.
East,	William Beekman.	Ebenezer Wilson,
	ASSESSORS.	
	Lawrence Read,	John Theobals.
	CONSTABLE.	
	Samuell Myners.	
	ALDERMAN.	ASSISTANT,
Dock,	William Merritt.	Thomas Clarke.
	ASSESSORS.	
	Nicholas de Meyer,	Johannes de Puyser.
	CONSTABLE.	
	Thomas Buroughs.	
	ALDERMAN.	ASSISTANT.
North,	Johannes Kipp.	Theunis De Kay.
	ASSESSORS.	
	Jacob Boelen,	Johannes Beekman.
	CONSTABLE.	
	Harman Janning.	
	ALDERMAN.	ASSISTANT.
South,	Brandt Schuyler.	Stephen De Lancy.
	ASSESSORS.	
	William Teller,	Jacobus Kipp.
	CONSTABLE.	
	Jacob Marins.	
	ALDERMAN.	ASSISTANT.
West,	Robert Darkins.	John Windeford.

ASSESSORS.

Sudert Olphese, Cobus Colet.

CONSTABLE.

Eudert Van Hook.

WARD.	ALDERMAN.	ASSISTANT.
Out,	Garret Dow.	Arent Van Scoyeck.

ASSESSORS.

Peter De Groot, Thomas Tervore.

CONSTABLE.

Jacob Cornelius.

CONSTABLE FOR HÆRLEM.

Shareke Ternoore.

1693—4.

MAYOR.	RECORDER.
Abraham De Peyster.	James Graham.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	William Beekman,	Ebenezer Wilson,
Dock,	William Merritt,	Thomas Clarke,
North,	Isaac Van Flack,	John Cooke,
South,	Brandt Schuyler,	Rip Van Dam.
West,	Robert Darkins,	John Vandespregel,
Out,	Gerard Douw.	Adolph Meyer.

1694—5.

MAYOR	RECORDER,
Abraham De Peyster.	James Graham.

WARDS,	ALDERMEN,	ASSISTANTS.
East,	William Beekman,	Ebenezer Wilson,
Dock	Jacobus Van Cortland,	Johannes De Peyster,
North,	Brandt Schuyler,	Rip Van Dam,
South.	Robert Darkins,	John Vandespregel,
West,	Isaac Van Velcq,	John Crooke.
Out,	Gerard Douw,	Adolph Meyer.

1695—6.

MAYOR.	RECORDER
William Merritt.	James Graham.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	William Beekman,	John Enwatse.
South,	Brandt Schuyler,	Rip Van Dam.
Dock,	Jacobus Van Cortlandt,	John De Peyster,
West,	Robert Darkins,	John Vandespregel,
North,	Jacob Boelen,	John. Hardenbrook,
Out,	Gerard Douw,	Martin Clock.

1696—7.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	William Merritt.	James Graham.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Leonard Lewis,	Jeremiah Tothill,
South,	Brandt Schuyler,	Isaac De Riemer,
Dock,	Jacobus Van Cortlandt.	Philip French,
West,	Robert Darkins,	John Winderford,
North,	John Kipp,	Johs. Hardenbrook,
Out,	Thomas Turnier.	Peter Van Oolimis.

1697—8.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	William Merritt,	James Graham.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Leonard Lewis,	John Enwatse,
West,	John Hutchins,	John Windower,
South,	Paulis Richards,	Isaac De Riemer,
North,	Jacob Boelen,	Evert De Beyvanke,
Dock,	David Provoost,	Garret Duyckinck,
Out,	Gerard Douw.	Martin Clock.

1698—9.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER..
	Johannes De Peyster,	James Graham.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
South	Thomas Wenham,	Robert Lurting,
West,	John Hutchins,	William Bickley,
Dock,	Jacobus Van Cortlandt,	Samuel Bayard,
East,	Leonard Lewis,	John Enwatse,
North,	Jacob Boelen,	Evart Beyvanke,
Out,	Martin Clock.	Abraham Messier.

1699—1700.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	David Provoost.	James Graham.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
Dock,	Jacs. Van Cortlandt,	Samuel Bayard,
North,	Evert Beyvancke,	Johannes Tiebout,
South,	Brandt Schuyler,	Hendrick Jelleeson,
East,	Leonard Lewis,	Abraham Braisier.
West,	Isaac De Riemer,	Peter Willemse Roome,
Out,	Martin Clock.	Abraham Messier.

1700—1.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Isaac De Riemer.	Abraham Governeur.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
Dock,	Jacs. Van Cortlandt,	Samuel Byard,
South,	Nicholas Rosevelt,	Hendrick Jelleson,
West,	David Provoost, Jr.,	Peter Willemse Roome,
East,	Johs. De Peyster,	Abraham Braisier,
North,	Evert Beyvanke,	Gerrit Onclebeg,
Out,	Martin Clock.	Abraham Messier.

1701—2.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Thomas Noole.	Abraham Governeur.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
Dock,	Philip French,	Robert Lurting,
South,	Nicholas Rosevelt,	Hendrick Jelleson,
West,	David Provoost, Jr.,	Peter Willemse Roome,
East,	Johannes De Peyster,	Abraham Brasier,
North,	Jacob Boelen,	Gerrit Onclebeg,
Out,	Martin Clock.	Abraham Messier.

1702—3.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Philip B. French.	Sampson Shelton Broughton.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
Dock,	Jacs. Van Cortlandt,	Robert Lurting,
South,	John Corbett,	Caleb Cooper,
West,	William Smith,	Bartholomew Laroux,
North,	David Provoost,	Jacob Van Nostrand,
Out,	Jacobus Dekey,	Jan Hendrick Brevort,
East,	Isaac De Rimer.	Geo. Elsworth.

1703—4.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	William Peartree.	Sampson Shelton Broughton.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
Dock.	Jacs. Van Cortlandt,	John Van Horn,
South,	Johannes Jansen,	Cornelius De Peyster,
West,	John Hutchins,	Bartholomew Laroux,
East,	Jeremiah Tothill,	Benjamin Faneuil,
North,	David Provoost,	Abraham Keteltas,
Out.	Jacob Dekey.	Egbert Keermans.

1704—5.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	William Peartree.	John Tudor.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
Dock,	Robert Lurting,	John Vanhorne,
South,	Johannes Jansen,	Cornelius De Peyster,
West,	Dirck Vanderburgh,	Olphert Suerts,
East,	Jeremiah Tothill,	Richard Harris,
North,	David Provoost,	Abraham Keteltas,
Out,	Jacob Dekey.	Egbert Keermans.

1705—6.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	William Peartree.	John Tudor.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
South,	Johannes Jansen,	Cornelius De Peyster,
Dock,	Robert Lurting,	John Vanhorne,
East,	Barent Reynders,	Richard Harris,
West,	Dirck Vanderbergh,	Olphert Suerts,
North,	David Provoost,	Abraham Keteltas,
Out,	Jacob Dekey.	Wolfert Webbers.

1706—7.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	William Peartree.	John Tudor.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
South,	Johannes Jansen,	Cornelius De Peyster,
East,	Barent Rynders,	Richard Harris,
West,	Dirck Vanderbergh,	Petrus Bayard,
North,	David Provoost,	Abraham Keteltas,
Dock,	Richard Willett,	Paul Droilhett,
Out,	Benjamin Blagge.	Wolfert Webber.

1707—8.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Ebenezer Wilson.	John Tudor.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
South,	Walter Thong,	Christopher Dennie,
Dock,	Richard Willett,	Paul Droilhett,
East,	Isaac De Reimer,	Olphert Suerts,
West,	William Smith,	Petrus Bayard,
North,	David Provoost,	Johs. Vansanta,
Out.	Edward Blagge.	Jan. Hendricks Brevoort.

1708—9

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Ebenezer Wilson.	May Bickley.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
South,	Walter Thong,	Christopher Dennie,
Dock,	Richard Willett,	Peter Droilhet,
West,	William Smith,	Bartholomew Laroux,
North,	David Provoost,	William Provoost,
East,	Robert Lurting,	Abraham Keteltas,
Out,	Edward Blagge.	Jan. Hendricks Brevoort.

1709—10.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Ebenezer Wilson.	May Bickley.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Robert Lurting,	Abraham Keteltas,
West,	William Smith,	Bartholomew Laroux,
North,	Jacobus Kip,	William Provoost,
South,	Walter Thong,	Cornelius De Peyster,
Dock,	Samuel Bayard,	Johannes Tiebout,
Out,	Edward Blagge.	John Brevoort.

1710—11.

	MAYOR,	RECORDER.
	Jacobus Van Cortlandt.	May Bickley.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	John De Peyster,	Abraham Wendell,
West,	William Smith,	Bartholomew Laroux,
North,	Jacobus Kip,	Anthony Rutgers,
South,	Walter Thong,	Cornelius De Peyster,
Dock,	Samuel Bayard,	Albert Clock,
Out,	Edward Blagge.	John Brevoort.

1711—12.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Caleb Heathcote.	May Bickley.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
Dock,	Samuel Bayard,	Albert Clock,
West,	William Smith,	Bartholomew Laroux,
South,	Walter Thong,	Cornelius De Peyster,
North,	Jacobus Kip,	Anthony Rutgers,
East,	Abraham Wendell,	John Reade,
Out,	Edward Blagge.	John Brevoort.

1712—13.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Caleb Heathcote.	David Jamison.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Abraham Wendell,	John Reade,
West,	William Smith,	Bartholomew Laroux,
North,	Jacobus Kip,	Anthony Rutgers,
South,	Johannes Jansen,	Cornelius De Peyster,
Dock,	John Bruger,	Albert Clock,
Out,	Edward Blagge.	John Brevoort.

1713—14.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Caleb Heathcote.	David Jamison.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
West,	Stephen Delancy,	Jacobus Bayard,
South,	Johannes Jansen,	Cornelius De Peyster,
North,	Jacobus Kip,	Garret Onclebagh,
Dock,	John Croger,	Albert Clock,
East,	Abraham Wendell,	John Reade,
Out,	Edward Blagge.	Hendrick Brevoort.

1714—15.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	John Johnston.	David Jamison.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
South,	Johannes Jansen,	Cornelius De Peyster,
North,	Jacobus Kip,	Andries Maerschalck,
East,	Abraham Wendell,	Philip Cortlandt,
Dock,	John Cruger,	Albert Clock,
West,	Jacobus Bayard,	Hermanus Vangelder,
Out,	Isaac De Reimer.	John Ryckman.

1715—16.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	John Johnson.	David Jamison.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
South,	Johannes Jansen,	Cornelius De Peyster,
North,	Jacobus Kip,	Andries Maerschalck,
Dock,	John Cruger,	Oliver Teller,
East,	Abraham Wendell,	Philip Cortlandt,
West,	Hermanus Vangelder,	William Roome,
Out,	Isaac De Riemer.	John Ryckman.

1716—17.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	John Johnson.	David Jamison.
WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
Dock,	John Cruger,	Oliver Teller,
West,	Hermanus Vangelder,	William Roome,
South,	Johannes Jansen,	Cornelius De Peyster,
North,	Jacobus Kip,	Andries Maerschalck,
East,	Abraham Wendell,	Philip Cortlandt,
Out,	Isaac De Reimer.	John Ryckman.

1717—18.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	John Johnson.	David Jamison.
WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
South,	Johannes Jansen,	Cornelius De Peyster,
North,	Jacobus Kip,	Andries Maerschalck,
West,	Hermanus Vangelder.	William Roome,
Dock,	John Croger,	Oliver Teller,
East,	Philip Cortlandt,	John Roosevelt,
Out,	Isaac De Riemer.	John Ryckman.

1718—19.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	John Johnson.	David Jamison.
WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Philip Cortlandt,	John Roosevelt,
West,	Hermanus Vangelder,	William Roome,
North,	Jacobus Kip,	Andries Maerschalk,
South,	Johannes Jansen,	Cornelius De Peyster,
Dock,	John Cruger,	Oliver Teller,
Out,	Edward Blagge.	Philip Minthorne.

1719—20.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Jacobus Van Cortlandt.	David Jamison.
WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Philip Cortlandt,	John Roosevelt,
West,	Hermanus Vangelder,	William Roome,
North,	Jacobus Kip,	Andries Maerschalk,
South,	Frederick Philipse,	Philip Schuyler,
Dock,	John Cruger,	Oliver Teller,
Out,	Edward Blagge.	Philip Minthorne.

1720—1.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Robert Walters.	David Jamison.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Phliip Cortlandt,	John Roosevelt,
West,	Hermanus Vangelder,	William Roome,
North,	Jacobus Kip,	Andries Maerschalck,
South,	Frederick Philipse,	Philip Schuyler,
Dock,	John Cruger,	Oliver Teller,
Out,	Edward Blagge.	John Ryckman.

1721—2.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Robert Walters,	David Jamison.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Philip Cortlandt,	John Roosevelt,
West,	Hermanus Vangelder,	William Roome,
North,	Jacobus Kip,	Andries Maerschalck,
South,	Frederick Philipse,	Philip Schuyler,
Dock,	John Cruger,	Oliver Teller,
Out,	Edward Blagge.	John Ryckman.

1722—3.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Robert Walters.	David Jamison.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
North,	Jacobus Kip,	Andries Maerschalck,
Dock,	John Cruger,	Oliver Teller,
West,	Hermanus Vangelder,	William Roome,
East,	Philip Cortlandt,	John Roosevelt,
South,	Frederick Philipse,	Philip Schuyler,
Out,	Gerardus Stuyvesant.	May Bickley.

1723—4.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Robert Walters.	David Jamison.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Philip Cortlandt,	John Roosevelt,
West,	Hermanus Vangelder,	William Roome,
North,	Jabobus Kip,	Andries Maerschalck,
South,	Frederick Philips.	Augustus Jay,
Dock,	John Croger,	Oliver Teller,
Out,	Gerardus Stuyvesant.	May Bickley.

1724—5.

MAYOR.

Robert Walters.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
North,	Jacobus Kip.	Andries Maerschalck,
West,	Hermanns Vangelder,	William Roome,
Dock,	John Cruger,	Oliver Teller,
South,	Frederick Philipse,	Augustus Jay.
East,	Philip Cortlandt.	John Roosevelt,
Out,	Gerardus Stuyvesant.	Philip Minthorne.

1725—6.

	MAYOR.	RECORDRE.
	Johannes Jansen.	Francis Harrison,

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
North,	Jacobus Kip,	Andries Maerschalck,
Dock,	John Cruger.	Oliver Teller,
West,	Hermanus Vangelder,	William Roome,
East,	Philip Cortlandt,	John Roosevelt,
South,	Frederick Philipse,	Augustus Jay,
Out,	Gerardus Stuyvesant.	Philip Minthorne.

1726—7.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Robert Lurting.	Francis Harrison.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
North,	Jacobus Kip,	Andries Maerschalck,
South,	Frederick Philips,	Obadiah Hunt,
Dock,	John Cruger.	Oliver Teller,
West,	Hermanus Vangelder,	William Roome,
East,	Philip Cortlandt,	John Roosevelt,
Out,	Gerardus Stuyvesant.	Philip Minthorne.

1727—8.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Robert Lurting.	Francis Harrison.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Philip Cortlandt.	John Roosevelt,
West,	Hermanus Vangelder,	William Roome,
North,	Anthony Rutgers,	Andries Maerschalck,
South,	Frederick Philipse,	Obadiah Hunt,
Dock,	John Cruger,	Oliver Teller,
Out,	Gerardus Stuyvesant.	Philip Minthorne.

1728—9.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Robert Lurting.	Francis Harrison.
WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
West,	Hermanus Vangelder,	William Roome,
South,	Frederick Philipse,	Obadiah Hunt,
Dock,	John Cruger,	Oliver Teller,
North,	Anthony Rutgers,	Egbert Van Borso,
East,	Philip Cortlandt,	John Roosevelt,
Out,	Gerardus Stuyvesant.	Philip Minthorne.

1729—30.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Robert Lurting.	Francis Harrison.
WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Philip Cortlandt,	John Roosevelt,
West,	Hermanus Vangelder,	John Chambers,
North,	Anthony Rutgers,	Egbert Van Borsom,
South,	Frederick Philipse,	Obadiah Hunt,
Dock,	John Cruger,	Andrew Teller,
Out,	Gerardus Stuyvesant.	Samuel Kip.

1730—1.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Robert Lurting.	Francis Harrison.
WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
South,	Frederick Philipse,	Isaac De Peyster,
West,	Harmanus Van Gelder,	John Chambers,
Dock,	John Cruger,	John Moore,
North,	Anthony Rutgers,	Egbert Van Borsom,
East,	John Roosevelt,	Peter Rutgers,
Out,	Gerardus Stuyvesant.	Samuel Kip.

1731—2.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Robert Lurting.	Francis Harrison.
WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
South,	Frederick Philipse,	Isaac De Peyster,
Dock,	John Cruger,	John Moore,
West,	Hermanus Vangelder,	John Chambers,
North,	Anthony Rutgers,	Garret Roos,
Montgomerie,	Johannes Hardenbrook,	Gerrard Beekman,
East,	John Roosevelt,	Petrus Rutgers,
Out,	Gerardus Stuyvesant.	Johannes Waldron.

1732—3.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Robert Lurting.	Francis Harrison.
WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	John Roosevelt,	Petrus Rutgers,
West,	Hermanus Vangelder,	John Chambers,
North,	Anthony Rutgers,	Garret Roos,
South,	Frederick Philipse,	Isaac De Peyster,
Dock,	John Cruger,	John Moore,
Montgomerie,	Johannes Hardenbrook,	Abel Hardenbrook,
Out,	Gerardus Stuyvesant.	Johannes Waldron.

1733—4.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Robert Lurting.	Francis Harrison.
WARDS,	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
Dock,	John Cruger,	John Moore,
West,	Hermanus Vangelder,	John Chambers,
South,	Frederick Philipse,	Isaac De Peyster,
North,	Anthony Rutgers,	Garret Roos,
East,	John Roosevelt,	Petrus Rutgers,
Montgomerie,	Johannes Hardenbrook,	Abel Hardenbrook,
Out,	Gerardus Stuyvesant.	Thomas Dekay.

1734—5.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Robert Lurting.	Francis Harrison,
WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
West,	William Roome,	Henry Bogert,
Montgomerie,	Christopher Fell,	John Fred,
Dock,	Stephen Bayard,	John Moore,
North,	Anthony Rutgers,	Garret Roos,
Out,	Gerardus Stuyvesant,	Johannes Waldron,
South,	Simon Johnson,	Ede Myer.

1735—6.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Paul Richard.	Daniel Horsemanden.
WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
West,	William Roome,	Henry Bogert,
Montgomerie,	Chsistopher Fell,	John Fred,
Out,	Gerardus Stuyvesant,	Johannes Waldron,
East,	John Walter,	Charles Le Roux
Dock,	Stephen Bayard,	Wessell Wessells,
South,	Simon Johnson,	Abraham De Peyster
North,	Johannes Burger.	Peter Stoutenburgh.

1736—7.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Paul Richard.	Daniel Horsemanden.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	John Walter,	Charles La Roux,
West,	William Roome,	Henry Bogert,
Montgomerie,	Christopher Fell,	John Fred,
South,	Simon Johnson,	Abraham De Peyster,
Out,	Gerardus Stuyvesant,	Johannes Waldron,
Dock,	Stephen Bayard,	Gerardus Beekman,
North,	Johannes Burger.	Peter Stoutenburgh.

1737—8.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Paul Richard.	Daniel Horsemanden.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	John Walter,	Charles La Roux,
West,	William Roome,	Henry Bogert,
Dock,	Stephen Bayard,	Gerardus Beekman,
Montgomerie,	Peter Van Ranst,	Edward Man,
South,	John Moore,	Abraham De Peyster,
North,	Johannes Burger,	William Vredenburgh,
Out,	Gerardus Stuyvesant.	Sampson Benson.

1738—9.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Paul Richard.	Daniel Horsemanden.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	John Walter,	Charles Le Roux,
West,	William Roome,	Henry Bogert,
North,	Christopher Backer,	William Vredenburgh,
South,	John Moore,	Abraham De Peyster,
Dock,	Peter Jay,	John Pintard,
Montgomerie,	Peter Van Ranst,	Cornelius Kortright,
Out,	Gerardus Stuyvesant.	Sampson Benson.

1739—40.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	John Cruger.	Daniel Horsemanden.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Simon Johnson,	Samuel Lawrence,
West,	William Roome,	Henry Bogert,
North,	Christopher Backer,	William Vredenburgh,
South,	John Moore,	Abraham De Peyster,
Dock,	Peter Jay,	John Pintard,
Montgomerie,	Peter Van Ranst,	Cornelius Kortright,
Out,	Gerardus Stuyvesant.	Philip Minthorne.

1740—1.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	John Cruger.	Daniel Horsemanden.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Simon Johnson,	Samuel Lawrence,
West,	William Roome,	Henry Bogert.
North,	Christopher Bancker,	Isaac Stoutenburg,
South.	John Moore,	Abraham De Peyster,
Dock,	John Pintard,	George Brinckerkoff,
Out,	Gerardus Stuyvesant,	Philip Minthorne
Montgomerie,	John Marshall.	Robert Benson.

1741—2.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	John Cruger.	Daniel Horsemanden,

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Simon Johnson,	Samuel Lawrence,
West,	William Roome,	Henry Bogert,
North,	Christopher Bancker,	Isaac Stoutenburg,
South,	John Moore,	Abraham De Peyster,
Dock,	John Pintard,	George Brinckerhoff,
Montgomerie,	John Marshall,	Robert Benson,
Out,	Gerardus Stuyvesant.	Philip Minthorne.

1742—3.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	John Cruger.	Daniel Horsemanden.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Simon Johnson,	Samuel Lawrence,
West,	William Roome,	Henry Bogert,
North,	Christopher Bancker,	Isaac Stoutenburgh,
South,	John Moore.	Abraham De Peyster,
Dock,	John Pintard,	George Brinckerhoff,
Montgomerie,	John Marshall,	Robert Benson,
Out,	Gerardus Stuyvesant.	Philip Minthorne.

1743—4.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	John Cruger.	Daniel Horsemanden.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Simon Johnson,	Samuel Lawrence,
West,	William Roome,	Henry Bogert.
North,	Stephen Van Cortlandt,	Isaac Stoutenburgh,
South,	John Moore,	Abraham De Peyster,
Dock,	John Pintard,	George Brinckerhoff,
Montgomerie,	John Marshall,	Robert Benson,
Out,	Gerardus Stuyvesant.	Nicholas Bayard.

1744—5.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Stephen Bayard.	Daniel Horsemanden

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Simon Johnson,	Samuel Lawrence,
West,	William Roome,	Henry Bogert,
North,	Stephen Van Cortlandt,	Isaac Stoutenburgh,
South,	John Moore,	Abraham De Peyster,
Dock,	John Pintard,	George Brinckerhoff,
Montgomerie,	John Marshall,	Robert Benson,
Out,	Gerardus Stuyvesant.	Nicholas Bayard.

1745—6.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Stephen Bayard.	Daniel Horsemanden.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Simon Johnson,	Samuel Lawreuce,
West,	William Roome,	Henry Bogert,
North,	Stephen Van Cortlandt,	Isaac Stoutenburgh,
South,	Brandt Schuyler,	Abraham De Peyster,
Dock,	John Pintard,	George Brinckerhoff,
Montgomerie,	John Marshall,	Robert Benson,
Out,	Gerardus Stuyvesant.	Nicholas Bayard.

1746—7.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Stephen Bayard.	Daniel Horsemanden.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Simon Johnson,	Samuel Lawrence,
West,	William Roome,	Henry Bogert,
North,	Stephen Van Cortlandt,	Isaac Stoutenburgh,
South,	Brandt Schuyler,	Abraham De Peyster,
Dock,	John Pintard,	George Brinckerhoff,
Montgomerie.	John Marshall.	Robert Benson,
Out,	Gerardus Stuyvesant.	Nicholas Bayard.

1747—8.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Edward Holland.	Simon Johnson.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Simon Johnson,	Samuel Lawrence,
West,	William Roome,	Henry Bogert,
North,	Stephen Van Cortlandt,	Isaac Stoutenburgh,
South,	Brandt Schuyler,	Abraham De Peyster,
Dock,	John Pintard,	George Brinckerhoff,
Montgomerie,	John Marshall,	Robert Benson,
Out,	Gerardus Stuyvesant.	Nicholas Bayard.

1748—9.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Edward Holland.	Simon Johnson.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Samuel Lawrence,	John Provoost,
West,	Piere De Peyster,	Nicholas Roosevelt,
North,	Stephen Van Cortlandt,	Henry Bogert,
South,	Brandt Schuyler,	Abraham De Peyster,
Dock,	James Levingston,	George Brinckerhoff,
Montgomerie,	John Marshall,	Robert Benson,
Out,	Gerardus Stuyvesant.	Nicholas Bayard.

1749—50.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Edward Holland.	Simon Johnson.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Cornelius Van Horn,	John Provoost,
West,	Piere De Peyster,	Nicholas Roosevelt,
North,	Stephen Van Cortlandt.	Henry Bogert,
South,	Brandt Schuyler,	Abraham De Peyster,
Dock,	James Levingston,	George Brinckerhoff,
Montgomerie,	John Marshall,	Robert Benson,
Out,	Gerardus Stuyvesant.	Nicholas Bayard.

1750—1.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Edward Holland.	Simon Johnson.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Cornelius Van Horne,	Abraham Lynsen,
West,	Piere De Peyster,	Nicholas Roosevelt,
North,	Stephen Van Cortlandt,	Leonard Lespinard,
South,	Brandt Schuyler,	Abraham De Peyster,
Dock,	James Levingston,	John Levingston,
Montgomerie,	Robert Benson,	William De Peyster,
Out,	Gerardus Stuyvesant.	Nicholas Bayard.

1751—2.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Edward Holland.	Simon Johnson.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Cornelius Van Horne,	Peter Clopper,
West,	Piere De Peyster,	Nicholas Roosevelt.
North,	Stephen Van Cortlandt,	Leonard Lespenard,
South,	Brandt Schuyler,	Abraham De Peyster,
Dock,	James Levingston,	John Levingston,
Montgomerie,	Robert Benson,	William De Peyster,
Out,	Gerardus Stuyvesant.	Nicholas Bayard,

1752—3.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Edward Holland.	Simon Johnson.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	John Provoost,	Peter Clopper,
West,	Piere De Peyster,	Nicholas Roosevelt,
North,	Stephen Van Cortlandt,	Leonard Lespinard,
South,	Francis Filkin,	Abraham De Peyster,
Dock,	James Levingston,	John Levingston,
Montgomerie,	Robert Benson,	William De Peyster,
Out,	Gerardus Stuyvesant.	Nicholas Bayard.

1753—4.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Edward Holland,	Simon Johnson.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	John Provoost,	Peter Clopper,
West,	Piere De Peyster,	Nicholas Roosevelt,
North,	Stephen Van Cortlandt,	Leonard Lespinard,
South,	Francis Filkin,	Abraham De Peyster,
Dock,	James Levingston,	John Levingston,
Montgomerie,	Robert Benson,	William De Peyster,
Out,	Gerardus Stuyvesant.	Nicholas Bayard.

1754—5.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Edward Holland.	Simon Johnson.

WARDS.	ALDERMNN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Philip Livingston,	Peter Clopper,
West,	Piere De Peyster,	Nicholas Roosevelt,
North,	Stephen Van Cortlandt,	Leonard Lespinard,
South,	Francis Filkin,	Abraham De Peyster,
Dock,	John Cruger,	John Levingston,
Montgomerie,	Evart Byvanck,	William De Peyster,
Out,	Oliver De Lancy.	Albert Herring.

1755—6.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Edward Holland.	Simon Johnson.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Philip Livingston,	Peter Clopper,
West,	Piere De Peyster,	Nicholas Roosevelt,
Dock,	John Cruger,	John Levingston,
North,	Christopher Bandker,	Leonard Lespinard,
South,	Francis Filkin,	Abraham De Peyster,
Montgomerie,	John Bogert, Jr.,	Luke Van Ranst,
Out,	Oliver De Lancy.	Albert Herring.

1756—7.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Edward Holland.	Simon Johnson.
WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Philip Livingston,	Peter Clopper,
West,	Piere De Peyster,	Nicholas Roosevelt,
North,	Leonard Lespinard,	Joris Janson,
South,	Francis Filkin,	Abraham De Peyster,
Dock,	William Coventry,	Theodorus Van Wyck,
Montgomerie,	John Bogert, Jr.,	Luke Van Ranst,
Out,	Oliver De Lancy.	Albert Herring.

1757—8.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	John Cruger.	Simon Johnson.
WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Philip Livingston,	Peter Clopper,
North,	Leonard Lespinard,	Joris Jansen,
West,	Piere De Peyster,	Nicholas Roosevelt,
South,	Francis Filkin,	Abraham De Peyster,
Dock,	William Coventry,	Garret Van Horn,
Montgomerie,	John Bogert, Jr.,	Luke Van Ranst,
Out,	John Morine Scott.	Albert Herring.

1758—9.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	John Cruger.	Simon Johnson.
WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Philip Livingston,	Peter Clopper,
West,	Piere De Peyster,	Nicholas Roosevelt,
North,	Leonard Lespinard,	Joris Janson,
South,	Francis Filkin,	Abraham De Peyster,
Dock,	Henry Cuyler, Jr.,	Garrit Van Horne,
Montgomerie,	John Bogert, Jr.,	Luke Van Ranst,
Out,	John Morine Scott.	Albert Herring.

1759—60.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	John Cruger.	Simon Johnson.
WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Philip Livingston,	Peter Clopper,
West,	Peter Mesier,	Nicholas Roosevelt,
North,	Leonard Lespinard,	Joris Jansen,
South,	Francis Filkin,	Abraham De Peyster,
Dock,	Henry Cuyler, Jr.,	Garrit Van Horne,
Montgomerie,	John Bogert, Jr.,	Luke Van Ranst,
Out,	John Morine Scott.	Cornelius Roosevelt.

1760—1.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	John Cruger.	Simon Johnson.
WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Philip Livingston,	Peter Clopper,
West,	Peter Mesier,	Nicholas Roosevelt,
North,	Leonard Lespinard,	Joris Jansen,
South,	Francis Filkin,	Thomas Wrandell.
Dock,	Garrit Van Horne,	John Lansing,
Montgomerie,	John Bogart,	Benjamin Blagg,
Out,	John Morine Scott.	Cornelius Roosevelt.

1761—2.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	John Cruger.	Simon Johnson.
WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Philip Livingston,	Peter Clopper,
West,	Peter Mesier,	Nicholas Roosevelt,
North,	Leonard Lespinard,	George Brewington,
South,	Francis Filkin,	Thomas Wrandle,
Dock,	John Lawrence,	John G. Lansing,
Montgomerie,	John Bogert, Jr.,	Benjamin Blagg,
Out,	John Morine Scott.	Cornelius Roosevelt.

1762—3.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	John Cruger.	Simon Johnson.
WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Philip Livingston,	Peter Clopper,
West,	Peter Mesier,	Nicholas Roosevelt,
North,	Leonard Lespinard,	George Brewington,
South,	Francis Filkin,	Thomas Wrandle,
Dock,	John Lawrence,	John G Lansing,
Montgomerie,	John Bogert, Jr.,	Peter Byvanck,
Out,	John Morine Scott.	Cornelius Roosevelt.

1763—4.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	John Cruger.	Simon Johnson.
WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTAFTS.
East,	Whitehead Hicks,	Garrit Rapalie,
West,	Nicholas Roosevelt,	Christopher Stimets,
North,	George Brewington,	Rem Rapalie,
South,	Francis Filkin,	Thomas Wrandle,
Dock,	John Lawrence,	Dirck Brinckerhoff,
Montgomerie,	John Bogert, Jr.,	Peter Byvanck,
Out,	John Morine Scott.	Cornelius Roosevelt.

1764—5.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	John Cruger.	Simon Johnson.
WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Whitehead Hicks,	Garrit Rapalie,
West,	Nicholas Roosevelt,	Abraham P. Lott,
North,	George Brewington,	Rem. Rapalie,
South,	Francis Filkin,	Thomas Wrandle.
Dock,	Theodorus Van Wyck,	Dirck Brinckerhoff,
Montgomerie,	John Bogert, Jr.,	Peter Byvanck,
Out,	Cornelius Roosevelt.	Matthew Buyce.

1765—6.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	John Cruger.	Simon Johnson.
WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Whitehead Hicks,	Garrit Rapalie,
West,	Nicholas Roosevelt,	Abraham P. Lott,
North,	George Brewerton,	Anthony Rutgers,
South,	Francis Filkin,	Michael Thodey,
Dock,	Dirck Brinckerhoff,	Andrew Gotier,
Montgomerie,	John Bogert, Jr.,	Peter Byvanck,
Out,	Cornelius Roosevelt.	Matthew Buyce.

1766—7.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Whitehead Hicks.	Simon Johnson.*
WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Whitehead Hicks,	Jacob Brewerton,
West,	Nicholas Roosevelt,	Gilbert Forbes,
North,	George Brewerton,	Anthony Rutgers,
South,	Francis Filkin,	Michael Thodey,
Dock,	Dirck Brinckerhoff,	Andrew Gotier,
Montgomerie,	Benjamin Blagge,	Robert Benson,
Out,	Cornelius Roosevelt.	Matthew Buyce.

1767—8.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Whitehead Hicks,	Simon Johnson.
WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Elias Desbrosses,	Jacob Brewerton,
West,	Nicholas Roosevelt,	Gilbert Forbes,
North,	George Brewerton,	Benjamin Huggit,
South,	Francis Filkin,	John Abeel,
Dock,	Dirck Brinckerhoff,	Andrew Gotier,
Montgomvrie,	Benjamin Blagge,	Robert Benson,
Out,	Cornelius Roosevelt.	Matthew Buyce.

* Last appearance at the Board in 1767, supposed, however, to have been Recorder until Mr. Jones' appointment.

1768—9.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Whitehead Hicks.	Simon Johnson.
WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Elias Desbrosses,	Jacob Brewerton,
West,	Abraham P Lott,	Peter T. Cortenius,
North,	George Brewerton,	Benjamin Huggit,
South,	Francis Filkin,	John Abeel,
Dock,	Andrew Gautier,	James Van Varick,
Montgomerie,	Benjamin Blagge,	Huybert Van Wagener,
Out,	Cornelius Roosevelt.	Matthew Buyce.

1769—70.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Whitehead Hicks.	Thomas Jones.
WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Elias Des Brosses,	Jacob Brewerton,
West,	Abraham P. Lott,	Peter T. Curtenius,
North,	George Brewerton,	Benjamin Huggit,
South,	Francis Filkin,	John Abeel,
Dock,	Andrew Gautier,	James Van Varick,
Montgomerie,	Benjamin Blagge,	Huybert Van Wagener,
Out,	John Dyckman.	Matthew Buyce.

1770—1.

	MAYOR.	EECORDER.
	Whitehead Hicks,	Thomas Jones,
WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Elias Des Brosses,	Jacobus Lefferts,
West,	Abraham P. Lott,	Abraham Mesier,
North,	George Brewerton,	Benjamin Huggit,
South,	Andrew Gautier,	John W. Vredenburgh,
Dock,	Francis Filkin,	John Abeel,
Montgomerie,	Benjamin Blagge,	Huybert Van Wagener,
Out,	John Dyckman.	Matthew Buyce.

1771—2.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Whitehead Hicks.	Thomas Jones.
WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Jacob Lefferts,	Henry Brevoort,
West,	George Brewerton, Jr.,	Abraham Mesier,
North,	George Brewerton,	Benjamin Huggit,
South,	Andrew Gautier,	John W. Vredenburgh,
Dock,	Francis Filkin,	John Abeel,
Montgomerie,	Benjamin Blagge,	Huybert Van Wagener,
Out,	John Dyckman.	John Hardenbrook.

1772—3.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Whitehead Hicks.	Thomas Jones.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Jacobus Lefferts,	Henry Brevoort,
West,	George Brewerton, Jr.,	Abraham Mesier,
North,	George Brewerton,	Benjamin Huggit,
South,	Francis Filkin,	John Abeel,
Dock.	Andrew Gautier,	John William Vredenburgh,
Montgomerie,	Benjamin Blagge,	Theophilus Hardenbrook,
Out,	John Dyckman.	John Hardenbrook.

1773—4.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Whitehead Hicks.	Robert R. Livingston.
		1774.—John Watts, Jr.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	Jacobus Lefferts,	Henry Brevoort,
West,	George Brewerton.	Abraham Mesier,
North,	William Waddle,	Benjamin Huggit,
South,	Francis Filkin,	John Abeel,
Dock,	Andrew Gautier,	Andrew Hamersly,
Montgomerie,	Benjamin Blagge,	Theophilus Hardenbrook,
Out,	John Dyckman.	John Hardenbrook.

No records during the Revolutionary War.

1783—4.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	James Duane.	Richard Varick.

ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
John Roome,	Daniel Phœnix,
William Gilbert,	Abraham Van Gelder,
Abraham P. Lott,	Jerremiah Wool,
Thomas Ivers,	Samuel Johnson,
Thomas Randall,	John De Peyster,
Benjamin Blagge.	Henry Shute.

1784—5.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	James Duane.	Richard Varick.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
South,	Jeremiah Wool,	Aert Huysman,
Dock,	William Nelson,	Thomas Ten Eyck,

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
East,	John Roome,	Daniel Phœnix,
West,	William W. Gilbert,	Abraham Van Gelder,
North,	Abraham P. Lott,	George Janeway,
Montgomerie,	Benjamin Blagge.	Jonathan Lawrence.

1785—6.

MAYOR.	RECORDER.
James Duane.	Richard Varick,

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
South,	Jeremiah Wool,	John Van Dyck,
Dock,	William Neilson,	Thomas Ten Eyck,
East,	John Broome,	Henry Will,
North,	Abraham P. Lott,	George Janeway,
West,	William Gilbert,	Abraham Van Gelder,
Montgomerie,	Benjamin Blagge,	William Malcolm,
Out,	Nicholas Bayard.	Cornelius C. Roosevelt,

1786—7.

MAYOR.	RECORDER.
James Duane.	Richard Varick.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
South,	Jeremiah Wool,	John Van Dyck,
Dock,	William Neilson,	Thomas Ten Eyck,
East,	Thomas Hazard,	John Young,
West,	William W. Gilbert,	Abraham Van Gelder,
North,	Abraham P. Lott,	George Janeway,
Montgomerie,	Benjamin Blagge,	Tobias Van Zandt,
Out,	Nicholas Bayard.	Cornelius C. Roosevelt.

1787—8.

MAYOR.	RECORDER.
James Duane.	Richard Varick.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
South,	Jeremiah Wool,	Joseph Pierson,
Dock,	Peter Elting,	Anthony Griffith,
East,	Thomas Hazard,	James Nicholson,
West,	William W. Gilbert,	Abraham Van Gelder,
North,	John Wylley,	George Janeway,
Montgomerie,	Benjamin Blagge,	Tobias Van Zandt,
Out,	Nicholas Bayard.	Cornelius C. Roosevelt.

1788—9.

MAYOR.	RECORDER.
James Duane.	Richard Varick.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
South,	Jeremiah Wool,	Joseph Pierson,
Dock,	Peter Elting,	Wynant Van Zandt,
East,	John Lawrence,	James Nicholson,
West,	William W. Gilbert,	Abraham Van Gelder,
North,	John Wylley,	George Janeway,
Montgomerie,	Benjamin Blagge,	Tobias Van Zandt,
Out,	Nicholas Bayard.	John Quackenboss.

1789—90.

MAYOR.	RECORDER.
Richard Varick.	Samuel Jones.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
South,	Jeremiah Wool,	John Van Dyck,
Dock,	Wynant Van Zandt,	Peter T. Curtenius,
East,	Daniel McCormick,	John Pintard.
West,	Isaac Stoutenburgh,	William T. Elsworth,
North,	John Wylley,	George Janeway,
Montgomerie,	Theophilus Beekman,	Tobias Van Zandt,
Out,	Nicholas Bayard.	Stephen McCrea.

1790—1.

MAYOR.	RECORDER.
Richard Varick.	Samuel Jones.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
South,	Jeremiah Wool,	John Van Dyck,
Dock,	Wynant Van Zandt,	Garrit Harsen,
East,	Daniel McCormick,	John Pintard,
West,	Isaac Stoutenburgh,	William J. Elsworth,
North,	John Wylley,	George Janeway,
Montgomerie,	Theophilus Beekman,	Tobias Van Zandt,
Out,	Nicholas Bayard.	Stephen McCrea.

1791—2.

MAYOR.	RECORDER.
Richard Varick.	Samuel Jones.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Jeremiah Wool,	William S. Livingston,
Second,	Wynant Van Zandt,	John Pintard,
Third,	Peter Pra Van Zandt,	Nlcholas Carmer,
Fourth,	Isaac Stoutenburgh,	William J. Elsworth,
Fifth,	Theophilus Beekman,	Tobias Van Zandt,
Sixth,	John Wylley,	George Janeway,
Seventh,	Nicholas Bayard,	Stephen McCrea.

1792—3.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Richard Varick.	Samuel Jones.
WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Gabriel Furman,	Frederick Stymets,
Second,	Wynant Van Zandt,	Garret Harsen,
Third,	Peter Pra Van Zandt,	Nicholas Carmer,
Fourth,	Isaac Stoutenburgh,	Anthony Post,
Fifth,	Theophilus Beekman,	Tobias Van Zandt,
Sixth,	John Campbell,	George Janeway,
Seventh,	Nicholas Bayard.	Mangle Minthorne.

1793—4.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Richard Varick.	Samuel Jones.
WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Gabriel Furman,	Frederick Stymets,
Second,	Wynant Van Zandt,	Garret Harsen,
Third,	Peter Pra Van Zandt,	Nicholas Carmer,
Fourth,	Isaac Stoutenburgh,	Anthony Post,
Fifth,	Theophilus Beekman,	Tobias Van Zandt,
Sixth,	John Campbell,	George Janeway,
Seventh,	Nicholas Bayard.	Mangle Minthorne.

1794—5.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Richard Varick.	Samuel Jones.
WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Gabriel Furman,	Frederick Stymets,
Second,	Wynant Van Zandt,	Garret Harsen,
Third,	Andrew Van Tuyl,	Nicholas Carmer,
Fourth,	Isaac Stoutenburgh,	Anthony Post,
Fifth,	Theophilus Beekman,	Jotham Post,
Sixth,	John Campbell,	George Janeway.
Seventh,	Nicholas Bayard.	Mangle Minthorne.

1795—6.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Richard Varick.	Samuel Jones.
WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Gabriel Furman,	Frederick Stymets,
Second,	Robert Lenox,	Garret Harsen,
Third,	Andrew Van Tuyl,	Nicholas Carmer,
Fourth,	Cornelius C. Roosevelt,	Anthony Post,
Fifth,	Theophilus Beekman,	Jotham Post,
Sixth,	John Campbell,	George Janeway,
Seventh,	Nicholas Bayard.	Mangle Minthorne.

1796—7.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Richard Varick.	James Kent.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Gabriel Furman,	Thomas Storm,
Second,	Robert Lenox,	Garret Harsen,
Third,	Ezekiel Robins,	Nicholas Carmer,
Fourth,	Cornellus C. Roosevelt,	Anthony Post,
Fifth,	Jotham Post,	Philip Arcularius,
Sixth,	Jacob De La Montagnie,	Anthony Brown,
Seventh,	Nicholas Bayard.	Mangle Minthorne.

1797—8.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Richard Varick.	James Kent.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Gabriel Furman,	Thomas Storm,
Second,	John B. Coles,	Garret Harsen,
Third,	Theophilus Beekman,	Nicholas Carmer,
Fourth,	Anthony Post,	John Bogert,
Fifth,	Jotham Post,	Philip I. Arcularius,
Sixth,	Jacob De La Montagnie,	Anthony Brown,
Seventh,	Richard Furman.	Mangle Minthorne.

1798—9.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Richard Varick.	Richard Harrison.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Gabriel Furman,	Thomas Storm,
Second,	John B. Coles,	William Bayard,
Third,	Theophilus Beekman,	Nicholas Carmer,
Fourth,	John Bogert,	George Lindsay,
Fifth,	Jotham Post,	Philip I. Arcularius,
Sixth,	Jacob De La Montagnie,	Anthony Brown,
eventh,	Richard Furman.	Mangle Minthorne.

1799—1800.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER
	Richard Varick.	Richard Harrison.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	John B. Coles,	John Nitchie,
Second,	Robert Strong,	Philip Ten Eyck,
Third,	Selah Strong,	Philip Brasher,
Fourth,	John Bogert,	Nicholas Carmer,
Fifth,	Jotham Post,	Philip I. Arcularius,
Sixth,	Jacob De La Montagnie,	John Crolius,
Seventh,	Richard Furman.	Mangle Minthorne.

1800—1.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Richard Varick.	John B. Prevost.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	John B. Coles,	John Nitchie,
Second,	Robert Lenox,	Philip Ten Eyck,
Third,	Selah Strong,	Philip Brasher,
Fourth,	John Bogert,	Nicholas Carmer,
Fifth,	Jotham Post,	John P. Ritter,
Sixth,	Joshua Barker,	Henry Verveelan,
Seventh,	Mangle Minthorne.	Jacob J. Arden.

1801—2.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Edward Livingston.	John B. Prevost.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	John B. Coles,	John Nitchie,
Second,	Robert Lenox,	Philip Ten Eyck,
Third,	Selah Strong,	Philip Brasher,
Fourth,	Cornelius C. Roosevelt,	Peter H. Wendover,
Fifth,	Philip I. Arcularius,	James Drake,
Sixth,	Joshua Barker,	Henry Verveelan,
Seventh,	Mangle Minthorne.	William W. Gilbert.

1802—3.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Edward Livingston.	John B. Prevost,

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Wynant Van Zandt, Jr.,	Andrew Morris,
Second,	John Oothout,	Caleb S. Riggs,
Third,	Philip Brasher,	Ebenezer Stevens,
Fourth,	John Bogert,	Jacob Le Roy,
Fifth,	John P. Ritter,	Robert Bogardus,
Sixth,	Joshua Barker,	Clarkson Crolius,
Seventh,	Mangle Minthorne.	Henry Brevoort.

1803—4.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	De Witt Clinton.	John B. Prevost.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Wynant Van Zandt, Jr.,	Andrew Morris,
Second,	Philip Brasher,	Caleb S. Riggs,
Third,	John Bogert, Jr,	Jacob Le Roy,
Fourth,	John P. Ritter,	Robert Bogardus,
Fifth,	Jacob De La Montagnie,	Joseph Board.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
Sixth,	George Janeway,	Clarkson Crolius,
Seventh,	Mangle Minthorne,	John Beekman,
Eighth,	Jacob Morton,	Whitehead Fish,
Ninth,	Jacob Harsen.	James Striker.

1804—5.

MAYOR.	RECORDER.
De Witt Clinton.	Maturln Livingston.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Wynant Van Zandt, Jr.,	Andrew Morris,
Second,	Philip Brasher,	Samuel M. Hopkins,
Third,	James Fairlie,	Simon Van Antwerp,
Fourth,	James Drake,	Abraham Bloodgood,
Fifth,	Jacob De La Montagnie,	Joseph Board,
Sixth,	George Janeway,	Clarkson Crolius,
Seventh,	Mangle Minthorne,	Jacob Mott,
Eighth,	William W. Gilbert,	George I. Warner,
Ninth,	Abraham King.	Jacob Shute.

1805—6.

MAYOR.	RECORDER.
De Witt Clinton.	Maturin Livingston.

WARDS,	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Wynant Van Zandt, Jr.,	Andrew Morris,
Second,	Elias Nexsen,	Samuel M. Hopkins,
Third,	James Fairlie,	Simon Van Antwerp,
Eourth,	James Drake,	Adrian Hegeman,
Fifth,	Jacob De La Montagnie,	Joseph Board,
Sixth,	Caleb Bell,	John D. Miller,
Seventh,	Jacob Mott,	Samuel Torbert,
Eighth,	Thurston Wood,	Gilbert Coutant,
Ninth,	Abraham King.	Jacob Shute.

1806—7.

MAYOR.	RECORDER.
De Witt Clinton.	Pierre C. Van Wyck.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Wynant Van Zandt, Jr.,	Andrew Morris,
Second,	Selah Strong,	John W. Mulligan,
Third,	Jacob Le Roy,	Benjamin Haight,
Fourth,	John P. Ritter,	Robert Bogardus,
Fifth,	Roger Strong,	Thomas Demarest,
Sixth,	John D. Miller,	Stephen Ludlow,
Seventh,	Jacob Mott,	Samuel Torbert,
Eighth,	Thurston Wood,	John Hopper,
Ninth,	Nicholas Fish.	Gerard De Peyster.

1807—8.

MAYOR.	RECORDER.
Marinus Willett.	Maturin Livingston,

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Peter Mesier,	John Slidell,
Second,	Samuel M. Hopkins,	John W. Mulligan,
Third,	Abraham King,	Simon Van Antwerp,
Fourth,	James Drake,	Abraham Bloodgood,
Fifth,	John Bingham,	Thomas I. Campbell,
Sixth,	John D. Miller,	Stephen Ludlum,
Seventh,	Jacob Mott.	Samuel Torbert,
Eighth,	Thurston Wood,	Jasper Ward,
Ninth,	Nicholas Fish.	Samuel Kip.

1808—9.

MAYOR.	RECORDER.
De Witt Clinton.	Pierre C. Van Wyck.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Peter Mesier.	John Slidell,
Second.	Samuel M. Hopkins,	John W. Mulligan,
Third,	Charles Dickinson,	Benjamin Haight,
Fourth,	James Drake,	Adrian Hegeman,
Fifth,	John Bingham,	Thomas I. Campbell,
Sixth,	Jacob Mott,	Samuel Torbert,
Seventh,	Thurston Wood,	Jasper Ward,
Eighth,	Nicholas Fish,	Abraham Houghland,
Ninth,	Mangle Minthorne.	John Drake.

1809—10.

MAYOR.	RECORDER.
De Witt Clinton.	Pierre C. Van Wyck.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Peter Mesier,	Samuel Jones, Jr.,
Second,	Thomas Carpenter,	Peter Hawes,
Third,	Charles Dickenson,	Augustine H. Lawrence
Fourth,	James Roosevelt,	Robert Bogardus,
Fifth,	John Bingham,	William Houghland,
Sixth,	William Torrey.	Isaac S. Douglass,
Seventh,	Charles Dickenson,	Thomas Timpson,
Eighth,	Joseph Watkins,	Edmond Kirby,
Ninth,	Nicholas Fish,	William Hardenbrook,
Tenth,	Mangle Minthorne.	John Palmer.

1810—11.

MAYOR.	RECORDER.
Jacob Radcliffe.	Josiah Ogden Hoffman.

WARDS.	ALDERMAN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Peter Mesier,	Samuel Jones, Jr.,
Second,	Thomas Carpenter,	Peter Hawes,
Third,	Charles Dickenson,	Augustine H. Lawrence,
Fourth,	Richard Cunningham,	Elisha W. King,
Fifth,	William Houghland.	John Morss,
Sixth,	William Torrey,	Isaac S. Douglass,
Seventh,	George Buckmaster,	Michael M. Titus,
Eighth,	Caleb Pell,	William Welling,
Ninth,	Nicholas Fish,	William A. Hardenbrook,
Tenth,	John Pell.	Abraham Van Gelder.

1811—12.

MAYOR.	RECORDER.
De Witt Clinton.	Pierre C. Van Wyck.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Peter Mesier,	Samuel Jones, Jr.,
Second,	Thomas Carpenter,	Peter Hawes,
Third,	Charles Dickenson,	Augustine H. Lawrence,
Fourth,	Richard Cunningham,	Elisha W. King,
Fifth,	John Morss,	George Wilson,
Sixth,	Isaac S Douglass.	Josiah Hedden,
Seventh,	George Buckmaster,	Michael M. Titus,
Eighth,	Peter H. Wendover,	William J. Waldron,
Ninth,	Nicholas Fish,	William A. Hardenbrook,
Tenth,	John Pell.	John Drake.

1812—13.

MAYOR.	RECORDER.
De Witt Clinton.	Pierre C. Van Wyck,

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Peter Mesier,	John Nitchie,
Second,	John Vanderbilt, Jr.,	Joseph W. Brackett,
Third,	Charles Dickenson,	Augustine H. Lawrence,
Fourth,	Richard Cunningham,	Elisha W. King,
Fifth,	John Morss,	Thomas R. Smith,
Sixth,	Isaac S. Douglass,	Josiah Hedden,
Seventh,	George Buckmaster,	Asa Mann,
Eighth,	Peter H. Wendover,	William J. Waldron,
Ninth,	Nicholas Fish,	William A. Hardenbrook,
Tenth,	John Pell.	James Palmer.

1813—14.

MAYOR.	RECORDER.
De Witt Clinton.	Josiah Ogden Hoffman.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Peter Mesier,	John Nitchie,
Second,	Jonas Mapes,	Joseph Warren Brackett,

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
Third	Charles Dickenson,	Augustine H. Lawrence,
Fourth,	Peter McCartie,	Elisha W. King,
Fifth,	Thomas R. Smith,	Gideon Tucker,
Sixth,	Jonathan Lawrence,	Mott Cannon,
Seventh,	George Buckmaster,	Asa Mann,
Eighth,	Peter H. Wendover,	Arthur Burtis,
Ninth,	Nicholas Fish,	William A. Hardenbrook,
Tenth,	Reuben Munson.	Noah Brown.

1814—15.

MAYOR.	RECORDER.
De Witt Clinton.	Josiah Ogden Hoffman.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Peter Mesier,	Samuel Jones, Jr.,
Second,	Jonas Mapes,	Jacob Lorillard,
Third,	Augustine H. Lawrence,	Anthony L. Underhill,
Fourth,	Peter M'Cartie,	Elisha W. King,
Fifth,	Thomas R. Smith,	Gideon Tucker,
Sixth,	Isaac C. Douglass,	Daniel E. Tylee,
Seventh,	George Buckmaster,	Asa Mann,
Eighth,	William Few,	Arthur Burtis,
Ninth,	Nicholas Fish,	William A. Hardenbrook,
Tenth,	Reuben Munson.	Noah Brown.

1815—16.

MAYOR.	RECORDER.
* Jacob Radcliff.	Richard Riker.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	John B. Coles,	Samuel Jones, Jr.,
Second,	Jonas Mapes,	Jacob Lorillard,
Third,	Augustine H. Lawrence,	Anthony L. Underhill,
Fourth,	Peter M'Cartie,	Elisha W. King,
Fifth,	Thomas R. Smith,	Gideon Tucker,
Sixth,	William Coulthard,	Daniel E. Tylee,
Seventh,	George Buckmaster,	Asa Mann,
Eighth,	William Few,	Arthur Burtis,
Ninth,	Nicholas Fish,	John H. Tallman,
Tenth,	Reuben Munson.	Thomas Cooper.

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* Note.—In March, 1815, Mr. Clinton was removed by the Council of Appointment, and John Ferguson, Esq., appointed Mayor. Mr. Ferguson then being Naval Officer of the Customs, was required by the President to state which of the two offices he would hold. By the advice of friends he resigned the Mayoralty in June following, when the Council appointed Jacob Radcliffe, Esq., in his place. Mr. Ferguson held the Naval Office to the time of his death, in September, 1832. There being no minutes of this change in the books of the Common Council, the above is furnished for the Compiler by a friend.

1816—17.

	MAYOR,	RECORDER.
	Jacob Radcliffe.	Richard Riker.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	John B. Coles,	Peter A. Jay,
Second,	Jonas Mapes,	Jacob Lorillard,
Third,	Augustine H. Lawrence,	Anthony L. Underhill,
Fourth,	Peter Conrey,	John Brown,
Fifth,	Thomas R. Smith,	William Stone,
Sixth,	William A. Burtis,	Robert M'Queen,
Seventh,	George Buckmaster,	Samuel Ackerly,
Eighth,	Arthur Burtis,	George D. Thorp,
Ninth,	Nicholas Fish,	John H. Tallman,
Tenth,	Reuben Munson.	Thomas Cooper.

1817—18.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Jacob Radcliffe.	Richard Riker.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	John B. Coles,	Samuel Jones, Jr.,
Second,	Joseph W. Brackett,	Samuel Stevens,
Third,	Anthony L. Underhill,	Leonard Kip,
Fourth,	Eldad Holmes,	William F. Van Amringe,
Fifth,	Thomas R. Smith,	William Stone,
Sixth,	Robert M'Queen,	John Remmey,
Seventh,	George Buckmaster,	Samuel Ackerly,
Eighth,	Arthur Burtis,	Jacob B. Taylor,
Ninth,	George B. Thorp,	Effingham Schieffelin,
Tenth,	Reuben Munson.	Stephen Allen.

1818—19.

	MAYOR.	RECORDER.
	Cadwallader D. Colden.	Richard Riker.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Peter Mesier,	Thomas Bolton,
Second,	Elisha W. King,	Samuel Stephens,
Third,	Anthony L. Underhill,	Leonard Kip,
Fourth,	William F. Van Amringe,	John P. Anthony,
Fifth,	John Morss,	John I. Westervelt,
Sixth,	Robert M'Queen,	Shivers Parker,
Seventh,	George Buckmaster,	Samuel Ackerly,
Eeighth,	Jacob R. Taylor,	David Board,
Ninth,	George B. Thorp,	Effingham Schieffelin,
Tenth,	Reuben Munson.	Stephen Allen.

1819—20.

MAYOR.	RECORDER.
Cadwallader D. Colden.	Peter A. Jay.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	John Hone,	Thomas Bolton,
Second,	Elisha W. King,	Samuel Stephens,
Third,	Leonard Kip,	Hermanus Tallman,
Fourth,	John P. Anthony,	Benjamin Crane,
Fifth,	John Morss,	John I. Westervelt,
Sixth,	Robert M'Queen,	Shivers Parker,
Seventh,	Asa Mann,	Stephen P. Britain,
Eighth,	Jacob B. Taylor,	David Board,
Ninth,	George P. Thorp,	William A. Davis,
Tenth,	Stephen Allen.	Judah Hammond.

1820—1.

MAYOR.	RECORDER.
Cadwallader D. Colden.	Peter A. Jay.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Samuel Tooker,	Thomas Bolton,
Second,	Thomas S. Townsend,	Abraham Valentine,
Third,	Leonard Kip,	Hermanus Tallman,
Fourth,	John P. Anthony,	Benjamin Crane,
Fifth,	Robert Swartwout,	Charles Town,
Sixth,	Robert M'Queen,	Shivers Parker,
Seventh,	Asa Mann,	Stephen P. Brittan,
Eighth,	David Board,	Isaac Emmons,
Ninth,	George P. Thorp,	Gerard De Peyster,
Tenth,	Stephen Allen.	Judah Hammond.

1821—2.

MAYOR.	RECORDER.
Stephen Allen.	Richard Riker.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Henry I. Wyckoff,	Thomas Bolton,
Second,	Thomas S. Townsend,	Abraham Valentine,
Third,	Maltby Gelston,	William H. Ireland,
Fourth,	John P. Anthony,	Benjamin Crane,
Fifth,	John Bingham,	Charles Town,
Sixth,	Robert M'Queen,	Shivers Parker,
Seventh,	Asa Mann,	William Thorn,
Eighth,	Isaac Emmons,	Francis Cooper,
Ninth,	George B. Thorp,	Gerard De Peyster,
Tenth,	Judah Hammond.	Henry Mead.

1822 *

MAYOR.	RECORDER.
Stephen Allen.	Richard Riker.

* By Chapter CCXXXIII, of the Laws of 1822, the Charter officers (with the exception of the Collectors) shall not hold their offices longer than until the last Monday in December, 1822. By this law the time of holding the Elections for Charter Officers was changed from April to November.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Henry I. Wyckoff,	Thomas Bolton,
Second,	Elam Williams,	Samuel B. Harper,
Third,	James Fairlie,	William H. Ireland.
Fourth,	James Hall,	John D. Brown,
Fifth,	William Paulding, Jr.,	Lewis Ford,
Sixth,	Robert M'Queen,	Shivers Parker,
Seventh,	Asa Mann,	William Thorn,
Eighth,	Jacob B. Taylor,	David Marsh,
Ninth,	Gerard De Peyster,	Nathaniel Reynolds,
Tenth,	Henry Mead.	David Seaman.

1822—3.

MAYOR.	RECORDER.
Stephen Allen.	Richard Riker.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Henry I. Wyckoff,	Thomas Bolton,
Second,	Elisha W. King,	Samuel St. John,
Third,	James Fairlie,	William H. Ireland,
Fourth,	James Hall,	Samuel Cowdrey,
Fifth,	George Zabriskie,	John Webb,
Sixth,	Robert M'Queen,	Shivers Parker,
Seventh,	Asa Mann,	William Thorn,
Eighth,	Jacob B. Taylor,	David Marsh,
Ninth,	Jacobus Dyckman.	George S. Doughty,
Tenth,	Henry Mead.	George Downing.

1823—4.

MAYOR.	RECORDER.
William Paulding.	Samuel Jones.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Henry I. Wyckoff,	Thomas Bolton,
Second,	Elisha W. King,	Samuel St. John,
Third,	William H. Ireland,	Philip Hone,
Fourth,	Thaddeus Seymour,	Joseph Coles,
Fifth,	George Zabriskie,	William Burtsell,
Sixth,	Shivers Parker,	Stephen Conover,
Seventh,	Asa Mann,	Jameson Cox,
Eighth,	Jacob B. Taylor,	Thomas T. Woodruff,
Ninth,	George S. Doughty,	Alpheus Sherman,
Tenth,	Reuben Munson.	Gideon Ostrander.

1824—5.

MAYOR.	RECORDER.
William Paulding.	Richard Riker.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Henry I. Wyckoff.	Thomas Bolton,
Second,	Elisha W. King,	Samuel St. John,

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
Third,	William H. Ireland.	Philip Hone,
Fourth,	Samuel Cowdrey,	John Agnew,
Fifth,	John Webb,	William Burtsell,
Sixth,	Matthew Reed,	Josiah Hedden,
Seventh,	Asa Mann,	Jameson Cox,
Eighth,	Jacob B. Taylor,	Daniel E. Dunscombe,
Ninth,	William A. Davis,	Effingham Schieffelin,
Tenth,	Gideon Ostrander.	William P. Rathbone.

1825—6.

MAYOR.	RECORDER.
Philip Hone.	Richard Riker.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	John Y. Cebra,	Thomas Bolton,
Second,	Samuel Gilford, Jr.,	William W. Mott,
Third,	Campbell P. White,	Pierre C. Van Wyck,
Fourth,	John Agnew,	John Hitchcock,
Fifth,	Anthony Lamb,	Henry Arcularius,
Sixth,	Matthew Reed,	John Lozier,
Seventh,	Jameson Cox,	William S. Coe,
Eighth,	—— ——.	Philip W. Engs,
Ninth,	Jacob B. Taylor,	John R. Peters,
Tenth,	Gideon Ostrander,	Abraham M. Valentine,
Eleventh,	William P. Rathbone,	Lemuel Pittman,
Twelfth,	William A. Davis.	Effingham Schieffelin.

1826—7.

MAYOR.	RECORDER.
William Paulding.	Richard Riker.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	John Y. Cebra,	Thomas Bolton,
Second,	Samuel Gilford, Jr.,	William W. Mott,
Third,	Campbell P. White,	Samuel Stevens,
Fourth.	John Agnew,	Isaac Brown,
Fifth,	Anthony Lamb,	John Shepherd, Jr.,
Sixth,	John Lozier,	James Lynch,
Seventh,	Jameson Cox,	William S. Coe,
Eighth,	Stuart F. Randolph,	Thomas T. Woodruff,
Ninth,	Jacob B. Taylor,	John R. Peters,
Tenth,	Gideon Ostrander,	Abraham M. Valentine,
Eleventh,	Lemuel Pittman,	Jeremiah Dodge,
Twelfth,	Effingham Schieffelin.	Henry Storms.

1827—8.

MAYOR.	RECORDER.
William Paulding.	Richard Riker.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Edmund Smith,	Thomas Bolton,
Second,	William W. Mott,	Jacob Wyckoff,
Third,	William H. Ireland,	Samuel Stevens,
Fourth,	John P. Anthony,	Isaac Brown,
Fifth,	Anthony Lamb,	John Shepherd, Jr.,
Sixth,	John Lozier,	James Lynch,
Seventh	William S. Coe,	William Seaman,
Eighth,	Stuart F. Randolph,	John F. Sibell,
Ninth,	John R. Peters,	Isaac Amerman,
Tenth,	Gideon Ostrander,	Bernard J. Meserole,
Eleventh,	Lemuel Pittman,	Henry B. Bolster,
Twelfth,	Effingham Schieffelin,	Henry Storms,
Thirteenth,	Abraham M. Valentine,	James Palmer,
Fourteenth,	Thomas T. Woodruff,	William J. Macnevin.

1828—9.

MAYOR.	RECORDER.
Walter Bowne.	Richard Riker.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	John Yates Cebra,	James J. Roosevelt,
Second,	William W. Mott,	Jonathan Seymour,
Third,	Samuel Stevens,	William Mandeville,
Fourth,	Isaac Brown,	David Bryson,
Fifth,	David Rodgers,	Henry Arcularius,
Sixth,	John Lozier,	George D Strong,
Seventh,	William S. Coe,	William Seaman,
Eighth,	Benjamin M. Brown,	William W. Cowan,
Ninth,	John R. Peters,	James N Wells,
Tenth,	Bernard J. Meserole,	Toomas Jeremiah,
Eleventh,	Jeremiah Dodge,	Peter Pinckney,
Twelfth,	Gideon Lee,	Peter Cooper,
Thirteenth,	James Palmer,	John Lovett,
Fourteenth,	Thomas T. Woodruff,	Philip W. Engs.

1829, '30,* '31.

MAYOR.	RECORDER.
Walter Bowne.	Richard Riker.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Peter I. Nevius,	James J. Roosevelt,
Second,	William W. Mott,	Jonathan Seymour,
Third,	Samuel Stevens,	William Mandeville,
Fourth,	Isaac Brown,	David Bryson,
Fifth,	Anthony Lamb,	Henry Arcularius,

* By the amended Charter, April 7, 1830, the officers elected under the former laws regulating the election of Charter Officers, were continued in office until those elected under this law, (second Tuesday in April, 1831,) shall be entitled to be sworn into office. By this amendment the Recorder was excluded from a voice in the City Government.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
Sixth,	George D. Strong,	Peter S. Townsend,
Seventh,	William Seaman,	Willium Scott,
Eighth,	Benjamin M. Brown,	Joseph N. Beadle,
Ninth,	James N. Wells,	John Rogers,
Tenth,	Bernard J. Meserole,	Thomas Jeremiah,
Eleventh,	David Marsh,	Fyler Dibblee,
Twelfth,	Gideon Lee,	Peter Cooper,
Thirteenth,	James Palmer,	John Lovett,
Fourteenth,	Thomas T. Woodruff.	Philip W. Engs.

1831—2.

MAYOR.

Walter Bowne.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	John Y. Cebra,	John I. Labagh,
Second,	Peter Sharpe,	William Van Wyck,
Third,	Samuel Stevens,	William Mandeville,
Fourth,	Hubert Van Wagenen,	George E. Smith,
Fifth,	Anthony Lamb,	Nehemiah Brush,
Sixth,	George D. Strong,	John R. Rhinelander,
Seventh,	William Scott,	James R. Whiting,
Eighth,	Jesoph Tucker,	Erastus Barnes,
Ninth,	Henry Meigs,	James B. Murray,
Tenth,	Thomas Jeremiah,	M. M. Quackenbos,
Eleventh,	Fyler Dibblee,	Henry P. Robinson,
Twelfth,	Charles H. Hall,	William W. Holly,
Thirteenth,	James Palmer,	Nathaniel J. Boyd,
Fourteenth,	Thomas T. Woodruff.	Samuel Dunshee.

1832—3.

MAYOR.

Walter Bowne.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	John Y. Cebra,	John I. Labagh,
Second,	Peter Sharpe,	William Van Wyck,
Third,	William Mandeville,	James Monroe,
Fourth,	George L. Smith,	Charles G. Ferris,
Fifth,	Myndert Van Schaick,	David Banks,
Sixth,	John R. Rhinelander,	Dennis McCarty,
Seventh,	James R. Whiting,	Thompson Price,
Eighth,	Erastus Barnes,	Jeremiah Towle,
Ninth,	Henry Meigs,	George Sutton,
Tenth,	John Palmer,	Peter S. Titus,
Eleventh,	Henry P. Robinson,	Francis Fickett,
Twelfth,	Charles Henry Hall,	William W. Holly,
Thirteenth,	James Palmer,	James Riker,
Fourteenth,	Thomas T. Woodruff,	Samuel Dunshee,
Fifteenth,	James B. Murray.	George W, Bruen.

1833—4.

MAYOR.

Gideon Lee.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	John Yates Cebra,	John I. Labagh,
Second,	Peter Sharpe,	William Van Wyck,
Third,	James Munroe,	John Augustine Smith,
Fourth,	Charles G. Ferris,	Morgan L. Smith,
Fifth,	David Banks,	John C. Tucker,
Sixth,	John R. Rhinelander,*	Dennis McCarty,†
Seventh,	Gilbert Hopkins,	David Halsey,
Eighth,	James Burling,	William Day,
Ninth,	Abraham Van Nest,	George Sutton,
Tenth,	M. M. Quackenbos,	Stephen Allen,
Eleventh,	Henry P. Robertson,	Francis Fickett,
Twelfth,	Isaac L. Varian,	Isaac Dyckman,
Thirteenth,	James Palmer,	Isaac Halsey.
Fourteenth,	Samuel Dunshee,	William C. Wales,
Fifteenth,	Judah Hammond.	Effingham Warner.

1834—5.

MAYOR.

Cornelius W. Lawrence.

In conformity with an amendment made to the Constitution of the State, the Mayor was this year, for the first time, elected by the people.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	John I. Labagh,	John J. Boyd,
Second,	Edward Taylor,	Horace Holden,
Third,	James Munroe,	William Samuel Johnson,
Fourth,	Hubert Van Wagenen,	Samuel Sparks,
Fifth,	Robert C. Cornell,	Robert Smith,
Sixth,	James Ferris,	James Ballagh,
Seventh,	Gilbert Hopkins,	John W. Lamb,
Eighth,	Joseph Tucker,	Frederick A. Tallmadge,
Ninth,	John Bolton,	John Delamater,
Tenth,	Gideon Ostrander,	Samuel Purdy,
Eleventh,	Francis Fickett,	Thomas H. White,
Twelfth,	Isaac L. Varian,	Isaac Dykeman,
Thirteenth,	John Lovett,	Alexander Stewart,
Fourteenth,	William C. Wales,	Lambert Suydam,
Fifteenth,	Silas M. Stillwell.	George W. Bruen.

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* The result of the Election in this Ward, this year, was contested, and finally resulted in declaring the seat of Ald. Rhinelander vacated, June 24th, 1833, and a special election ordered to fill the vacancy.

† In the Board of Assistants, June 27, 1833, Asst. Alderman McCarty resigned his seat. Whereupon a special election was ordered to fill such vacancy.

From the results of said election, it appeared that Dennis McCarty was elected Alderman, and James Ferris Asst. Alderman, for the remaining portion of the year.

1835—6.

MAYOR.

Cornelius W. Lawrence.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	John I. Labagh,	Aaron Clark,
Second,	Edward Taylor,	John Cleveland,
Third,	Egbert Benson,	Edward Curtis,
Fourth,	Morgan L. Smith,	Benjamin Townsend,
Fifth,	David Banks,	Myndert Van Schaick,
Sixth,	James Ferris,	Thomas S. Brady,
Seventh,	John W. Lamb,	James R. Whiting,
Eighth,	Erastus Barnes,	George Paulding,
Ninth,	John Delamater,	John V. Greenfield,
Tinth,	Samuel Purdy,	Lawrence P. Jordan,
Eleventh,	Francis Fickett,	George Clinch,
Twelfth,	Isaac L. Varian,	Daniel P. Ingraham,
Thirteenth,	John Lovett,	Alexander Stewart,
Fourteenth,	George Nixon,	William Power,
Fifteenth,	Silas M. Stillwell.	Richard R. Ward.

1836—7.

MAYOR.

Cornelius W. Lawrence.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Aaron Clark,	George F. Talman,
Second,	Edward Taylor,	Caleb S. Woodhull,
Third,	Egbert Benson,	Edward Curtis,
Fourth,	David Randall,	William Hall,
Fifth,	David Banks,	John B. Schmelzel,
Sixth,	Thomas S. Brady,	Henry Erben,
Seventh,	Samuel Judd,	Alfred A. Smith,[1]
Eighth,	Frederick A. Tallmadge,	Charles De Forrest,
Ninth,	John V. Greenfield,	Jacob Westervelt,
Tenth,	Samuel Purdy.	Lawrence P. Jordan,
Eleventh,	Nehemiah Waterbury,	Joel Kelly,
Twelfth,	Daniel P. Ingraham,	Abraham V. Williams,
Thirteenth,	Ira B. Wheeler,	Isaac B. Merrit,
Fourteenth,	Isaac P. Whitehead,	Joseph R. Taylor,
Fifteenth,	Richard R. Ward,	George W. Bruen,
Sixteenth,	Isaac L. Varian.	William W. Holly.

1387—8.

MAYOR.

Aaron Clark.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Matthew C. Patterson,	Calvin Balis,
Second,	Edward Taylor,	Caleb S. Woodhull,
Third,	Egbert Benson,	Ellis Potter,
Fourth,	David Randall,	William Hall,

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
Fifth,	Robert Smith,	Murray Hoffman,
Sixth,	Thomas S. Brady,	John Foote,
Seventh,	Joseph Hoxie,	Morris Franklin,
Eighth,	Charles De Forrest,	Joseph N. Barnes,
Ninth,	John V. Greenfield,	Jacob Westervelt,
Tenth,	Richard J. Smith,	Philip Snedecor,
Eleventh,	Nehemiah Waterbury,	John Miller,
Twelfth,	Daniel P. Ingraham,	Abraham V. Williams,
Thirteenth,	Isaac B. Merritt,	Abraham Tappan,
Fourteenth,	Isaac B. Whitehead,	Joseph R. Taylor,
Fifteenth,	George W. Bruen,	William F. Hyde,
Sixteenth,	Isaac L. Varian,	William W. Holly,
Seventeenth,	Jacob Acker.	Orville J. Nash.

1838—9.

MAYOR.

Aaron Clark.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	J. Philips Phœnix,	Calvin Balis,
Second,	Edward Taylor,	Caleb S. Woodhull,
Third,	Egbert Benson,	Ellis Potter,
Fourth,	William Hall,	Samuel Sparks,
Fifth,	Robert Smith,	Abel T. Anderson,
Sixth,	James Lynch,	Clarkson Crolius, Jr.,
Seventh,	Samuel J. Willis,	Thomas Conner,
Eighth,	Charles De Forrest,	Joseph N. Barnes,
Ninth,	Thomas G. Talmage.	Freeman Campbell,
Tenth,	Elijah F. Purdy,	Thomas D. Howe,
Eleventh,	Nehemiah Waterbury,	Monmouth B. Hart,
Twelfth,	Abraham V. Williams,	Nathaniel Jarvis, Jr.,
Thirteenth,	James H. Cook,	Cornelius B. Timpson,
Fourteenth,	Joseph R. Taylor,	Jacob P. Bunting,
Fifteenth,	Thomas Lawrence,	David Graham, Jr.,
Sixteenth,	William W. Holly,	Daniel F. Tieman,
Seventeenth,	Thomas Jeremiah.	Orville J. Nash.

1839—40.

MAYOR.

Isaac L. Varian.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	J. Philips Phœnix,	Calvin Balis,
Second,	Caleb S. Woodhull,	Barzilla Deming,
Third,	Egbert Benson,	Ellis Potter,
Fourth,	Benjamin L. Guion,	Jesse West,
Fifth,	Robert Smith,	Abel T. Anderson,
Sixth,	James Ferris,	Felix O'Neil,
Seventh,	Samuel J. Willis,	Thomas Conner,
Eighth,	William Chamberlain,	David Vandervoort,
Ninth,	Thomas G. Talmage,	Freeman Campbell,
Tenth,	Elijah F. Purdy,	Thomas D. Howe,
Eleventh,	Monmouth B. Hart,	Charles J. Dodge,

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
Twelfth,	Abraham V. Williams,	Nathaniel Jarvis,
Thirteenth,	James H. Cook,	Cornelius B. Timpson,
Fourteenth,	Samuel Nichols,	John D. Spader,
Fifteenth,	Thomas Lawrence,	David Graham, Jr.,
Sixteenth,	Daniel F Tieman,	James Pollock,
Seventeenth,	Orville J. Nash.	Frederick R. Lee.

1840—1.

MAYOR.

Isaac L. Varian.

First,	Calvin Balis,	John I. Labagh,
Second,	Caleb S. Woodhull,	Thomas F. Peers,
Third,	Egbert Benson,	John A. Underwood,
Fourth,	Daniel C. Pentz,	Benton W. Halsey,
Fifth,	Robert Jones,	William Adams,
Sixth,	James Ferris,	Felix O'Neil,
Seventh,	Josiah Rich,	William L. Wood,
Eighth,	William Chamberlain,	David Vandervoort,
Ninth,	Freeman Campbell,	Moses G. Leonard,
Tenth,	Elijah F. Purdy,	Daniel Ward,
Eleventh,	Abraham Hatfield,	Edward Penny, Jr.,
Twelfth,	Nathaniel Jarvis, Jr.,	Samuel Bradhurst,
Thirteenth,	Elias L. Smith,	Jacob A. Westervelt,
Fourteenth,	Samuel Nichols,	John D. Spader,
Fifteenth,	David Graham, Jr.,	Henry E. Davies,
Sixteenth,	Peter Cooper,	James Pollock,
Seventeenth,	Orville J. Nash.	Frederick R. Lee.

1841—2.

MAYOR.

Robert H. Morris.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Calvin Balis,	Philip V. Hoffman,
Second,	Caleb S. Woodhull,	George F. Nesbitt,
Third,	Egbert Benson,	John A. Underwoood,
Fourth,	Richard S. Williams,	Alfred Ashfield,
Fifth,	Robert Jones,	William Adams,
Sixth,	Felix O'Neil,	William Shaler,
Seventh,	Morris Franklin,	William D. Murphy,
Eighth,	David Vandervoort,	Thomas R. Lee,
Ninth,	Moses G. Leonard,	William D. Waterman,
Tenth,	Elijah F. Purdy,	Daniel Ward,
Eleventh,	Abraham Hatfield,	Charles J. Dodge,
Twelfth,	Samuel Bradhurst,	Henry Brevoort,
Thirteenth,	Cornelius B. Timpson,	Daniel D. Briggs,
Fourteenth,	Edward S. Innes,	Abraham B. Davis,
Fifteenth,	Elijah H. Kimball,	Erastus C. Benedict,
Sixteenth,	James Pollock,	Edmund G. Rawson,
Seventeenth,	Fredcrick R. Lee.	John M. Seaman.

1842—3.

MAYOR.

Robert H. Morris.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Calvin Balis,	Harman C. Westervelt,
Second,	Caleb S. Woodhull,	George F. Nesbitt,
Third,	John A. Underwood,	William Dodge,
Fourth,	Robert Martin,	David T. Williams,
Fifth,	Robert Jones,	William Adams,
Sixth,	Clarkson Crolius, Jr.,	Richard H. Atwell,
Seventh,	Charles W. Smith,	James Nash,
Eighth,	Sylvanus Gedney,	Charles P. Brown,
Ninth,	Moses G. Leonard,	William D. Waterman,
Tenth,	Elijah F. Purdy,	Daniel Ward,
Eleventh,	Abraham Hatfield,	Charles J. Dodge,
Twelfth,	Richard F. Carman,	George W. Allerton,
Thirteenth,	Hezekiah W. Bonnell,	Peter Esquirol,
Fourteenth,	John Stewart,	John B. Scoles,
Fifteenth,	Henry E. Davies,	William V. Brady,
Sixteenth,	Edward D. West,	Walter Mead,
Seventeenth,	Frederick R. Lee.	John Pettigrew.

1843—4.

MAYOR.

Robert H. Morris.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Edwin B. Clayton,	Oliver Charlick,
Second,	Caleb S. Woodhull,	George F. Nesbitt,
Third,	Smith Dunning,	William Dodge,
Fourth,	Robert Martin,	David T. Williams,
Fifth,	Francis R. Tillou,	Robert Pattison,
Sixth,	John Emmans,	Thomas S. Henry,
Seventh,	James Nash,	Charles H. Dougherty,
Eighth,	David Vandervoort,	Charles P. Brown,
Ninth,	William D. Waterman,	Isaac B. Smith,
Tenth,	Elijah F. Purdy,	Daniel Ward,
Eleventh,	Abraham Hatfield,	Charles J. Dodge,
Twelfth,	Henry Brevoort,	David S. Jackson,
Thirteenth,	Daniel D. Briggs,	William G. Boggs,
Fourteenth,	John B. Scoles,	Samuel Nichols,
Fifteenth,	William V. Brady,	James D. Oliver,
Sixteenth,	Edmund G. Rawson,	William C. Seaman,
Seventeenth,	Frederick R. Lee.	John Pettigrew.

1844—5.

MAYOR.

James Harper.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	William S. Miller,	Oliver Charlick,
Second,	William Gale,	William Everdell,
Third,	William B. Cozzens,	Uzal P. Ward,

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
Fourth,	David T. Williams,	Joseph A. Divver,
Fifth,	Elias G. Drake,	James Smith,
Sixth,	John Emmans,	Thomas S. Henry,
Seventh,	John A. Bunting,	John C. Bayles,
Eighth,	William Tucker,	Wyllis Blackstone,
Ninth,	Horatio Mott,	Peter P. Voorhis,
Tenth,	Jeremiah J. Dickinson,	James Horn,
Eleventh,	Jabez Williams,	Leonard L. Johnson,
Twelfth,	David S. Jackson,	Thomas Spofford,
Thirteenth,	Thomas Winship,	Charles Alden.
Fourteenth,	Stephen Hasbrouck,	Thomas B. Tappen,
Fifteenth,	Richard L. Schieffelin,	Moses Tucker,
Sixteenth,	William C. Seaman,	John J. V. Westervelt,
Seventeenth,	Charles Devoe.	William Taylor.

1845—6.

MAYOR.

William F. Havemeyer.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Oliver Charlick,	John S. Gilbert,
Second,	James C. Stoneall,	Joseph C. Alberton,
Third,	Egbert Benson,	Governeur M. Ogden,
Fourth,	Joseph A. Divver,	George H. Purser,
Fifth,	Emanuel B. Hart,	Lyman Candee,
Sixth,	Thomas S. Henry,	John Foote,
Seventh,	Thomas Conner,	Nathaniel Pierce,
Eighth,	Richard T. Compton,	Archibald Maclay, Jr.,
Ninth,	Theodorus Van Tine,	William Quackenbush,
Tenth,	Bernard J. Meserole,	Niel Gray,
Eleventh,	Charles J. Dodge,	Jacob Miller,
Twelfth,	David S. Jackson,	Thomas Spofford,
Thirteenth,	Daniel D. Briggs,	Nathan Roberts,
Fourteenth,	Thomas B. Tappen,	Edwin Nichols,
Fifteenth,	William V. Brady,	James D. Oliver,
Sixteenth,	William C. Seaman,	John J. V. Westervelt,
Seventeenth,	Crandall Rich.	William H. Cornell.

1846—7.

MAYOR.

A. H. Mickle.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	John S. Gilbert,	Henry H. Byrne,
Second,	James C. Stoneall,	John L. Brown,
Third,	Egbert Benson,	Thomas McElrath,
Fourth,	George H. Purser,	Dennis Mullins,
Fifth,	Emanuel B. Hart,	William Radford,
Sixth,	John Foote,	Thomas Gilmartin,
Seventh,	Bartlett Smith,	Theo. M. Dougherty,
Eighth,	R. T. Compton,	A. Maclay, Jr.,
Ninth,	T. Van Tine,	Isaac B. Smith,
Tenth,	B. J. Meserole,	Niel Gray,
Eleventh,	Leonard L. Johnson,	Lewis S. Dod,
Twelfth,	David S. Jackson,	Thomas Spofford,
Thirteenth,	Nathan Roberts.	Stephen H. Feeks.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
Fourteenth,	Thomas B. Tappen,	Edwin Nichols,
Fifteenth,	William V. Brady,	James D. Oliver,
Sixteenth,	Livingston Livingston,	Charles Webb,
Seventeenth,	James Walsh,	James Robertson,
Eighteenth,	William A. Walker.	Moses W. S. Jackson.

1847—8.

MAYOR.

William V. Brady.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Theodore R. De Forest,	Joseph Jamison,
Second,	James Kelly,	Chester Lamb,
Third,	Thomas McElrath,	Thomas McKnight,
Fourth,	George H. Purser,	Dennis Mullins,
Fifth,	William Adams,	Alexander H. Schultz,
Sixth,	Thomas Gilmartin,	Frederick D. Kohler,
Seventh,	Morris Franklin,	John Coger, Jr.,
Eighth,	Abraham R. Lawrence,	Jonathan W. Allen,
Ninth,	Jacob L. Dodge,	Silas C. Herring,
Tenth,	B. J. Meserole,	Niel Gray,
Eleventh,	Lewis S. Dod,	Amos F. Hatfield,
Twelfth,	Thomas Spofford,	George F. Clarke,
Thirteenth,	Stephen Feeks,	John R. Colon,
Fourteenth,	Thomas B. Tappen,	Dines Carolin,
Fifteenth,	James D. Oliver,	Linus W. Stevens,
Sixteenth,	Washington Smith,	John P. Cummings,
Seventeenth,	Clarkson Crolius,	James Robertson,
Eighteenth,	Moses Maynard, Jr.	William F. Jackson.

1848—9.

MAYOR.

William F. Havemeyer.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Theodore R. De Forest,	Joseph Jamison,
Second,	James S. Libby,	Timothy R. Hibbard,
Third,	Robert Swartwout, Thomas McKnight,*	James E. Wood,
Fourth,	Edmund Fitzgerald,	Nathan A. Sutton,
Fifth,	William Adams,	Alexander H. Schultz,
Sixth,	Frederick D. Kohler,	Patrick Brenan,
Seventh,	Morris Franklin,	Morgan Morgans,
Eighth,	William J. McDermott,†	Robert P. Getty,
Ninth,	Jacob L. Dodge,	Silas C. Herring,
Tenth,	Niel Gray,	Wilson Small,
Eleventh,	Amos F. Hatfield,	Jedediah Miller.

* Alderman Robert Swartwout having died during his term of office, Alderman Thomas McKnight was elected to fill the vacancy, at a special election, held September 12th, 1848.

† Deceased in December, 1848.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
Twelfth,	Thomas Carnley,	George F. Clark,
Thirteenth,	Thomas K. Downing,	William W. Fream,
Fourteenth,	Dines Carolin,	John R. Paxton,
Fifteenth,	Linus W. Stevens,	Joseph Britton,
Sixteenth,	Washington Smith,	Charles Webb,
Seventeenth,	Clarkson Crolius,	George H. Franklin,
Eighteenth,	Moses Maynard, Jr.	George W. Allerton.

May 8, 1849, to January 7, 1850.*

MAYOR.

Caleb S. Woodhull.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Joseph Jamison,	Edmund Griffin,
Second,	James Kelly,	Edwin J. Mercer,
Third,	James E. Wood,	Oscar W. Sturtevant,
Fourth,	Dennis Mullins,	Jacob F. Oakley,
Fifth,	Alexander H. Schultz,	Warren Chapman,
Sixth,	Patrick Kelly,	Ebenezer G. Ferris,
Seventh,	Morgan Morgans,	John B. Webb,
Eighth,	Jonathan W. Allen,	Ezra Smith,
Ninth,	Silas C. Herring,	Charles Crane,
Tenth,	Robert T. Haws,	David Miller,
Eleventh,	Amos F. Hatfield,	Samuel P. Patterson,
Twelfth,	George F. Clark,	Warren Brady,
Thirteenth,	Chandler L. Ingersoll,	John Pearsall,
Fourteenth,	James M. Bard,	Robert A. Sands,
Fifteenth,	Joseph Britton,	Edwin D. Morgan,
Sixteenth,	Charles Webb,	Asahel A. Denman,
Seventeenth,	George H. Franklin,	Charles G. Dean,
Eighteenth,	Moses W. S. Jackson.	Jonas F. Concklin.

1850.†

MAYOR.

Caleb S. Woodhull.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Edmund Griffin,	Curtis Judson,
Second,	Daniel Dodge,	Dudley Haley,
Third,	James E. Wood,	Oscar W. Sturtevant,
Fourth,	Jacob F. Oakley,	Florence McCarthy,
Fifth,	Warren Chapman,	John Boyce,
Sixth,	Patrick Kelly,	Thomas J. Barr,
Seventh,	Morgan Morgans,	John B. Webb,
Eighth,	Ezra Smith,	James Ackerman,

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* By the provisions of the Amended Charter which went into effect June 1st, 1849, the term of office of the members of both Boards of the Common Council expired on the first Monday of January, 1850.

† At the General Election held in November, 1849, the above gentlemen were elected as members of the Common Council; their term of office commenced on the first Monday of January, 1850, and will expire—that of the Aldermen, on the 1st Monday of January, 1852, and the Assistants, on the first Monday of January, 1851.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
Ninth,	James R. Ball,	Charles Crane,
Tenth,	Robert T. Haws,	Charles Francis,
Eleventh,	Jedediah Mlller,	Wesley Smith,
Twelfth,	Henry Shaw,	John G. Kip,
Thirteenth,	James H. Cook,	Daniel P. Sammis,
Fourteenth,	James M. Bard,	Robert A. Sands,
Fifteenth,	Joseph Britton,	Sylvester L. H. Ward,
Sixteenth	Samuel Delamater,	Joseph Rogers,
Seventeenth,	George H. Franklin,	Charles G. Dean,
Eighteenth,	Jonas F. Concklin.	Alonzo A. Alvord.

1851.

MAYOR,

Ambrose C. Kingsland.

WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
First,	Edmund Griffin,	Abraham Moore,
Second,	Daniel Dodge,	Dudley Haley,
Third,	Oscar W. Sturtevant,	Samuel R. Mabbatt,
Fourth,	Jacob F. Oakley,	Florence McCarthy,
Fifth,	Warren Chapman,	John Boyce,
Sixth,	Patrick Kelly,	Thomas J. Barr,
Seventh,	Morgan Morgans,	John B. Webb,
Eighth,	Ezra Smith,	James Webb,
Ninth,	James R. Ball,	Charles Crane,
Tenth,	Robert T. Haws,	David Miller,
Eleventh,	Jedediah Miller,	Wesley Smith.
Twelfth,	Henry Shaw,	Daniel F. Tieman,
Thirteenth,	James H. Cook,	John Pearsall.
Fourteenth,	James M. Bard,	Robert A. Sands,
Fifteenth,	Joseph Britton,	Sylvester L. H. Ward,
Sixteenth,	Samuel Delamater,	Henry B. Bolster,
Seventeenth	George H. Franklin,	Nathan C. Ely,
Eighteenth,	Jonas F. Concklin,	Alonzo A. Alvord,
Nineteenth,	William A. Dooley.	Moses C. Edwards.

Meadows

Swamp

Bruce's Dock

Livingstons W

Beekmans Slip

Street

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1851.

MAYOR,

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WARDS.	ALDERMEN.	ASSISTANTS.
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Eighteenth,	Jonas F. Concklin,	Alonzo A. Alvord,
Nineteenth,	William A. Dooley.	Moses C. Edwards.

A Plan of the City of New York from an actual Survey

Made by James Lyne

To His Excellency
JOHN MONTGOMERIE Esq
r as Gen.l & Gov.r in Chief
of his Majestys Provinces
of NEW YORK NEW IERSEY
&c
This Plan of the City of
NEW YORK is humbly Dedicated
by Your Excellancy.s Obed.t
& most humble Servt
Wm Bradford

1 Kings chappel built 1693
2 Ferme Church built
A Old Dutch Church
B Trens. Church
E New Dutch Church
F Presbyterian Meeting
G Quakers Meeting
H Baptist Meeting
I Lutheran Church
K Jews Synagogue

1 Govr House
2 Secretarys Office
3 Custom House
4 Weigh House
5 City Hall
6 Prgard & Sugar House
7 Exchange
8 Fish Market
9 Old Slip Market
10 Meat Market
11 Fly Market

North River

Bowling Green
Garden

Col.o Rob.t Lurting
MAYOR
1728

NOVA CAESAREA OR NEW IERSEY

WARD
Kings Farm

Crown Street
Stone
Wind Mill Lane
Comforts Dock
Ellisons Dock
Rope Walk
COMMON
Fresh Water
Eng.h Church Yard
Little Queen Street
Hanover Square
Fair
John
Kap Street
High Road to Boston
Frankford Street
George
William Street
Golden
Cold Street
Vanderclifts Street
Rutgers Hill
Beekmans Swamp
Cliff Street
Queen Street
Cherry Street
Meadow
Swamp
Fort & Fresh Water
Hamilton W.f
Livingstons W.f
Dallys Ship Yd
Parks W.f
Roosevelts W.f
Williams Ship Yd
Hendricks Boom Yd
French Ship Yd
Wyckoff Ship Yd
Vangelder Ship Yd
Haughton House
Deans Dock
Rhinelander Ship Yd
Turneys Dock
Burtis Dock

WARD
EAST WARD
SOUTH WARD
NORTH WARD
MONTGOMERIE'S WARD

Broadway
Broad Street
Beaver Street
Parade
New Street
Bridge Street
Stone Street
Dock Street
Princes Street
Mill Street
Duke Street
Smith Street
Garden Street
Wall Street
Nassau Street
Crown Street
Golden Hill
Beekmans Hill
Cliff Street
Queen Street
Pearl Street
Water Street
Front Street
Old Slip
Coenties Slip
White Hall
Kennels Ship Yard
W. Dock
E. Dock
Hunters Key
Burn etts Key
Harbour

A Scale of Feet 660 Foot
One 8.th of a Mile

FACSIMILE of an original Map in the possession of G.B. Smith Street Commissioner

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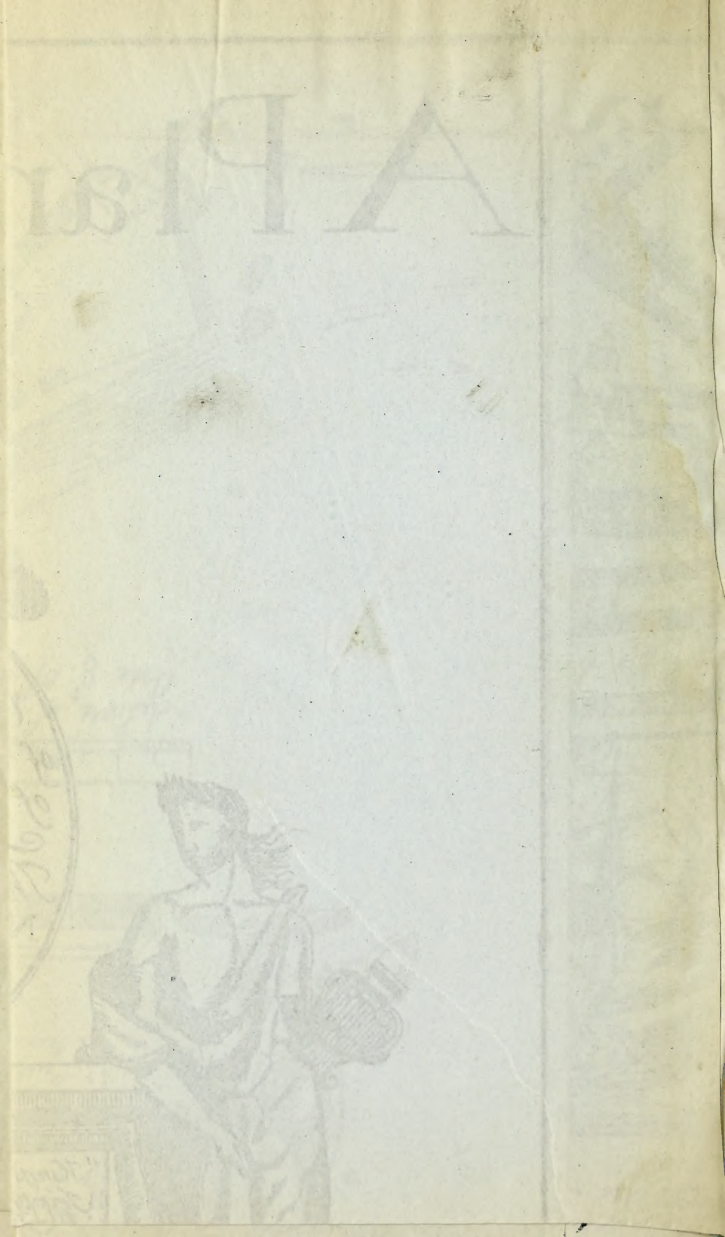

FINANCIAL TABLES.

Permanent City Debt, redeemable from the Sinking Fund, Jan. 1st, 1850.

5 per cent.	Public Building Stock, redeemable			1856	$515,000 00
5 "	Fire Loan Stock,	"		1851	500,000 00
5 "	City Stock of 1820 and 1829,	"		1850	250,000 00
5 "	Fire Indemnity Stock,	"		1868	375,088 00
5 "	Water Loan Stock,	"		1858	3,000,000 00
5 "	" " "	"		1860	2,500,000 00
5 "	" " "	"		1870	3,000,000 00
5 "	Water Stock of 1849,	"		1875	230,000 00
5 "	Water Loan Stock,	"		1880	2,147,001 00
5 & 6 "	Croton Water,	"		1890	480,000 00
5 "	Water Loan,	"		1852	889,207 00
7 "	" "	"		1807	990,488 00
					$14,876,783 00
	Less—				
Amount of Stocks and Bonds held by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, for the redemption of the above			$3,199,015 00		
Balance of Cash in Bank to Credit of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund			69,318 43		
Other property belonging to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund			422,533 12		3,690,866 55
Debt incurred, yet to be redeemed by Sinking Fund					$11,185,916 45

Permanent City Debt redeemable from the Sinking Fund, Jan. 1st, 1851.

5 per cent.	Fire Loan Stock,	redeemable	1851	$500,000 00
5 "	Public Building Stock,	"	1856	515,000 00
5 "	Building Loan Stock, No. 3,	"	1870	50,000 00
5 "	Fire Indemnity Stock,	"	1868	375,088 00
5 "	Water Loan Stock,	"	1858	3,000,000 00
5 "	" " "	"	1860	2,500,000 00
5 "	" " "	"	1870	3,000,000 00
5 "	Water Stock of 1849,	"	1875	255,600 00
5 "	Water Loan Stock,	"	1880	2,147,000 00
5 & 6 "	Croton Water Stock,	"	1890	500,000 00
7 "	Water Loan Stock,	"	1852	889,207 00
7 "	" " "	"	1857	990,488 00
				$14,722,383 00

Amount of Stocks and Bonds held by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, for the redemption of City Debt	$3,370,015 00	
Balance in Bank, January 1st, 1851, to credit of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.	213,191 70	
Additional Assets belonging to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund	427,571 91	4,010,778 61
Amount of Debt yet to be redeemed by the Sinking Fund		$10,711,604 39

Stocks and Securities held by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, for the redemption of City Debt, January 1st, 1850.

5 per cent.	City Stock of 1820, due		1850	$3,400 00
5 "	" " 1829, "		1850	12,200 00
7 "	Water Loan Stock, "		1852	5,150 00
5 "	" " " "		1858	29,174 00
5 "	" " " "		1860	206,820 00
5 "	" " " "		1870	28,183 00
5 "	Water Loan of 1849, "		1875	30,000 00
5 "	Water Loan Stock, "		1880	2,087,025 00
5 & 6 "	Croton Water Stock, "		1890	480,000 00
5 "	Public Building " "		1856	17,875 00
5 "	Fire Indemnity " "		1868	135,188 00
5 "	Fire Loan " "		1851	6,000 00
6 "	Washington Square Iron Railing Stock, due Nov. 1st, 1850, 1851, 1852—$5,000 each			15,000 00
5 "	Revenue Bonds, due		1850	143,000 00
				$3,199,015 00
Balance in Bank, uninvested				69,318 43
Bonds and Mortgages taken on Sales of Real Estate by Commissioners of the Sinking Fund,		$275,340 41		
Bonds and Mortgages taken from insolvent Insurance Companies in 1836, and for which the "Fire Loan Stock" was issued		99,392 71		
Bonds and Mortgages taken on Sales of Real Estate by Commissioners of Sinking Fund, belonging to "Fire Loan Account"		37,800 00		
Real Estate belonging to "Fire Loan Account," estimated as worth		10,000 00		422,533 12
Total assets				$3,690,866 55

Stocks and Securities held by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for the redemption of City Debt, January 1st, 1851.

7 per cent.	Water Loan Stock, due	1852		$5,150 00
5 "	" " " "	1858		29,174 00
5 "	" " " "	1860		206,820 00
5 "	" " " "	1870		28,183 00
5 "	Water Stock of 1849, "	1875		55,600 00
5 "	Water Loan Stock, "	1880		2,087,025 00
5 & 6 "	Croton Water Stock, "	1890		500,000 00
5 "	Public Building, "	1856		17,875 00
5 "	Fire Indemnity, "	1868		135,188 00
5 "	Fire Loan, "	1851		16,000 00
5 & 6 "	Washington Square Iron Railing Stock, due Nov. 1st, 1851, 1852, 1853—$5,000 each			15,000 00
5 "	Revenue Bonds, due	1851		274,000 00
				$3,370,015 00
Balance in Bank, uninvested				213,191 70
Bonds and Mortgages taken on sales of Real Estate by Commissioners of the Sinking Fund			$330,071 91	
Bonds and Mortgages taken from Insolvent Insurance Companies in 1836, and for which the "Fire Loan Stock" was issued			69,500 00	
Bonds and Mortgages taken on Sales of Real Estate by Commissioners of Sinking Fund belonging to "Fire Loan Account"			3,000 00	
Real Estate belonging to "Fire Loan Account," estimated as worth			25,000 00	427,571 91
Total assets				$4,010,778 61

Receipts and Investments of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for the redemption of the City Debt, during the year ending Dec. 31st, 1850.

Received from Commutation of Water Lot Rent		$44,617 51
" " " Wheat Ground Rent		666 56
" " Butchers' Stands		14,383 39
" " Market Fees		50,056 63
" " Bonds and Mortgages		78,141 10
" " Fire Loan Property		67,572 71
" " Ground and House Rent		148 33
" " Interest on Stock held by Commissioners		137,620 38
" " " Revenue Bonds		3,932 49
" " Licenses		18,796 00
" " Market Cellar Rent		11,436 46
" " Real Estate		133,115 90
" " Revenue Bonds		240,000 00
" " Street Vaults		5,552 03
" " Water Lot Rent		396 52
" " Washington Square Iron Railing Stock		5,000 00
" " Stocks of 1820 and 1829, paid off		15,600 00
" " Washington Market, privilege of filling in		147 78
		$827,183 79
Balance in Bank, January 1st, 1850		69,318 43
		$896,502 22
Invested and Paid by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for the redemption of City Debt.		
In Water Loan Stock of 1849, due 1875	$25,600 00	
In Fire Loan Stock, " 1851	10,187 67	
In Croton Water Stock, " 1890	20,000 00	
In Washington Sq. Iron Railing Stock, due 1853	5,000 00	
In City Stock of 1820 and 1829, redeemed	250,000 00	
In Revenue Bonds of 1850 and 1851	371,000 00	
For advertising, surveys, and maps, sale of 1850	663 35	
For acknowledging Deeds, sale of real estate "	66 50	
For Rent returned, J. F. Randolph and J. N. Cobb, in trust	413 00	
For services of Appraiser, in fixing Rent of Real Estate	210 00	
Amount returned T. C. Gould for two butchers' licenses, paid in error	20 00	
Paid salary of Clerk to Commissioners	150 00	683,310 52
Balance in Bank, January 1st, 1851		$213,191 70

Receipts and Payments of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for Payment of Interest on City Debt, during the year ending December 31st, 1849.

Received from Croton Water Rent		$278,811 72
" " Interest on Bonds and Mortgages		16,681 46
" " Fines and Penalties		8,661 68
" " Interest Account		431 33
" " Justices' Courts		8,009 86
" " Mayoralty Fees		1,096 00
" " Sales of Personal Estate		1,887 88
" " Rents of Real Estate		185,735 61
" " Tavern and Excise License		48,746 29
" " Revenue Bonds		100,000 00
" " Interest on Revenue Bonds		616 42
Transferred from Treasury, amount raised by tax to supply deficiency of Interest		250,000 00
Balance in Bank, January 1st, 1849		69,380 16
		$970,058 41
Paid out of above—		
For Interest on Stocks of 1820 and 1829	$12,500 00	
" " Building Loan Stock, No. 2	20,885 30	
" " Public Building "	25,750 00	
" " Fire Indemnity "	18,754 40	
" " Water Loan Stock of 1858	150,000 00	
" " " " " 1860	125,000 00	
" " " " " 1870	150,000 00	
" " " " " 1880	96,799 58	
" " " " " due 1875	2,961 73	
" " " " " 7 per cent	131,578 64	
" " Croton Water Stock, 1890	25,000 00	
" " Temporary Water Loan	18,660 31	
" " Wash. Square Iron Railing Stock	1,200 00	
" Revenue Bonds of 1849, 5 per cent	100,000 00	879,089 96
Balance in Bank, January 1st, 1850		$90,968 45

Receipts and Expenditures of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for Payment of Interest on City Debt, during the year ending Dec. 31st, 1850.

Received from Croton Water Rent		$458,951 87
" " Interest on Bonds and Mortgages		19,639 50
" " Fines and Penalties		5,093 71
" " Interest Account		2,404 52
" " Justices' Courts		11,948 43
" " Mayoralty Fees		743 00
" " Sales of Personal Estate		5,825 49
" " Rents of Real Estate		199,044 19
" " Tavern and Excise Licenses		53,503 05
" for removing a sunken vessel		10 00
Transferred from Treasury, amount raised by Tax to meet deficiency of Interest on City Debt		186,689 00
		$943,852 76
Balance in Bank, January 1st, 1850		90,968 45
		$1,034,821 21
Paid from the above—		
For Interest on Stocks of 1820 and 1829	$4,929 25	
" " Building Loan Stock, No. 2	19,500 00	
" " Wash't'n Sq. Iron Railing Stock,	900 00	
" " Public Building Stock	25,750 00	
" " Fire Indemnity "	18,754 40	
" " Water Loan Stock of 1858	150,000 00	
" " " " " 1860	125,000 00	
" " " " " 1870	150,000 00	
" " " " " 1880	107,350 00	
" " " " " due 1875	11,252 40	
" " " " " 7 per cent	131,578 64	
" " Croton Water Stock of 1890	25,750 00	
Amount of License returned	10 00	770,774 69
Balance in Bank, January 1st, 1851		$264,046 52

Statement of Funded Debt, redeemable from Taxation, January 1st, 1849.

6	per cent. Building Loan Stock, No. 2, payable Feb. 1st, 1849..	$50,000 00
6	" " " " " " " " 1850..	50,000 00
6	" " " " " " " " 1851..	50,000 00
6	" " " " " " " " 1852..	50,000 00
6	" " " " " " " " 1853..	50,000 00
6	" " " " " " " " 1854..	50,000 00
6	" " " " " " " " 1855..	50,000 00
6	" Washington Square Iron Railing Stock, Nov. " 1849..	5,000 00
6	" " " " " " " " 1850..	5,000 00
6	" " " " " " " " 1851..	5,000 00
6	" " " " " " " " 1852..	5,000 00
Total Funded Debt redeemable from Taxation.....		$370,000 00

Statement of Funded Debt redeemable from Taxation, January 1st, 1850.

6	per cent. Building Loan Stock, No. 2, payable Feb. 1st, 1850..	$50,000 00
6	" " " " " " " " 1851..	50,000 00
6	" " " " " " " " 1852..	50,000 00
6	" " " " " " " " 1853..	50,000 00
6	" " " " " " " " 1854..	50,000 00
6	" " " " " " " " 1855..	50,000 00
6	" " " " " " " " 1856.	50,000 00
6	" Washington Square Iron Railing Stock, Nov. " 1850..	5,000 00
6	" " " " " " " " 1851..	5,000 00
6	" " " " " " " " 1852..	5,000 00
Total Debt redeemable from Taxation.....		$365,000 00

Funded Debt redeemable from Taxation, January 1st, 1851.

6 per cent.	Building Loan Stock, No. 2, payable Feb. 1st, 1851..	$50,000 00
6 "	" " " " " " " " 1852..	50,000 00
6 "	" " " " " " " " 1853..	50,000 00
6 "	" " " " " " " " 1854..	50,000 00
6 "	" " " " " " " " 1855..	50,000 00
6 "	" " " " " " " " 1856..	50,000 00
6 "	Washington Square Iron Railing Stock, Nov. " 1851..	5,000 00
6 "	" " " " " " " " 1852..	5,000 00
5 "	" " " " " " " " 1853..	5,000 00
Total Debt redeemable from Taxation.....		$315,000 00

Receipts and Expenditures on account of Interest on Fire Loan, belonging to Commissioners of Sinking Fund, for the year ending Dec. 31, 1850.

Received from Interest on Bonds and Mortgages taken from Insurance Companies in 1835.....	$9,591 41	
Received from Interest on Investments in the Sinking Fund...	16,386 08	
Received from Interest on Bonds and Mortgages on Fire Loan Property.....	2,143 39	
Balance in Bank, January 1st, 1850.....	18,332 65	
	$46,453 53	
Paid Interest on Fire Loan Stock.....	25,000 00	
Balance in Bank, January 1st, 1851.....	$21,453 53	

Statement of Water Debt, January 1st, 1850.

STOCKS.	Amount Issued, Less Amount Redeemed.	Total Issue, Less Amount Redeemed.	Net Proceeds.
5 per cent. Stock of 1858...	$3,000,000 00		
5 " " 1860...	2,500,000 00		
5 " " 1870...	3,000,000 00		
5 " " 1875...	230,000 00		
5 " " 1880...	2,147,000 00		
5 & 6 " " 1890...	480,000 00	$11,357,000 00	$10,712,442 68
7 " Water Loan, Feb. 1, 1852	89,357 00		
7 " Aug. 1, 1852	799,850 00		
7 " Feb. 1, 1857	990,488 00	1,879,695 00	2,000,000 00
Interest on avails, loaned in 1836, '37, '38..		38,136 48	
Proceeds of Sales of Old Pipe.....		4,936 49	
Rent of Lands, &c., from Commissioners...		6,042 10	
Interest received to antedate Stock.....		224 74	
Received from Water Commissioners, award to R. Dykeman and others, Warrant No. 708, of 1844, returned Treasury, January 31, 1848.....		3,000 00	
Received from Philip Hone, Chairman of Commissioners, balance in his hands.....		2,877 70	55,217 51
			$12,767,660 19
Payments out of the above—			
To Water Commissioners on contracts, &c..		8,917,501 78	
For " Pipes, and laying, prior to 1844..		2,097,251 87	
" " Loan Int'st, prior to Aug. 1, 1842.		1,577,459 43	
" Specie to pay Int'st in 1837 and 1838...		2,831 18	
" Water Loan Expenses.....		8,290 13	
" Protection of Water Works during riots		3,146 56	
" Croton Water Works' Extension, &c..		230,000 00	12,836,480 95
Balance due Treasury from Water Fund...		.....	$68,820 76
Amount of Water Loan Stock issued.....$13,406,684 00			
Amount of Temporary Water Loan, paid off in 1849..... 399,989 00		$13,006,695 00	
Amount of Water Loan Stock of 1849, issued, to be applied exclusively for Croton Water Works' Extension.....		230,000 00	$13,236,695 00
Croton Water Stock yet to be issued.....		.....	20,000 00
Water Loan Stock of 1849 " "		.....	370,000 00
Total amount of Stock authorized.....		.....	$13,626,695 00

Statement of Water Debt, January 1st, 1851.

STOCKS.	Amount Issued, Less Amount Redeemed.	Total Issue, Less Amount Redeemed.	Net Proceeds.
5 per cent. Stock of 1858...	$3,000,000 00		
5 " " 1860...	2,500,000 00		
5 " " 1870...	3,000,000 00		
5 " " 1849...	255,600 00		
[due 1875...	2,147,000 00		
5 " " 1880...			
5 & 6 " " 1890...	500,000 00	$11,402,600 00	$10,758,042 68
7 " Water Loan, Feb. 1, 1852	89,357 00		
7 " Aug. 1, 1852	799,850 00		
7 " Feb. 1, 1857	990,488 00	1,879,695 00	2,000,000 00
		$13,282,295 00	$12,758,042 68
Interest from Trust Co., in 1836, '37, '38...		38,136 48	
Proceeds of sales of Old Pipe.....		4,936 49	
Rent of Lands, &c., from Commissioners...		6,042 10	
Interest received to antedate Stock.....		224 74	
Received from Water Commissioners, award to R. Dykeman and others, Warrant No. 708, of 1844, returned Treasury, January 31st, 1848.....		3,000 00	
Received from Philip Hone, Chairman of Commissioners, balance remaining in his hands, July 25, 1849.....		2,877 70	55,217 51
			$12,813,260 19
Payments.			
To Water Commissioners, on contracts, &c.		8,917,501 78	
For " Pipes, and laying, prior to 1844.		2,097,251 87	
" " Loan Int'st, prior to Aug. 1, 1842		1,577,459 43	
" Specie to pay interest in 1837 and 1838.		2,831 18	
" Water Loan Expenses.....		8,290 13	
" Protection of Water Works during riots		3,146 56	
" Croton Water Works extension.....		255,600 00	12,862,080 95
Balance due Treasury from Water Fund...		.....	$48,820 76
Amount of Water Loan Stock issued.....		$13,026,695 00	
Amount of Water Stock of 1849, issued, to be applied exclusively for Croton Water Works extension.....		255,600 00	$13,282,295 00
Balance due Treasury.....		.....	48,820 76
Net Water Debt.....		.....	$13,331,115 76
Amount of Stock already issued.....		.....	$13,282,295 00
" Water Stock of 1849 to be issued		.....	344,400 00
Total Stock authorized by law.....			$13,626,695 00

Receipts and Expenditures on account of Washington Square Iron Railing Stock, January 1, 1851.

Received from $20,000 of Stock, bearing interest at 6 per cent. per annum	$20,000 00
Received from $5,000 of Stock, bearing interest at 5 per cent. per annum	5,000 00
	$25,000 00
Paid to contractors, for erection of Iron fence around Washington square	23,327 37
Balance due from Treasury, January 1st, 1851	$1,672 63

Receipts and Expenditures of the Water Fund, for the year ending December 31st, 1850.

Received from Croton Water Stock of 1890,	$20,000 00
" " Water Stock of 1849,	25,600 00
Total means,	$45,600 00
Paid for Croton Water Works Extension, on requisition of President of Croton Aqueduct Department	25,600 00
	$20,000 00
Advance from Treasury on account of Water Fund, January 1, 1850	68,820 00
Advance from Treasury, January 1st, 1851	$48,820 00

Receipts and Expenditures on account of Building Loan Stock, No. 3.

Received from $50,000 of Stock, bearing interest at 5 per cent. per annum	$52,190 00
Paid upon the requisition of the Governors of the Alms House on account of erection of Work House buildings	5,000 00
Balance due from Treasury, January 1, 1851	$47,190 00

Receipts and Expenditures on Trust Accounts, for year ending December 31st, 1850.

ACCOUNTS.	Appropriations.	Expenditures.	Receipts.
Charges on arrears of Taxes	$3,000 00	$2,608 00	$3,375 08
" " Assessments	2,600 00	2,599 91	1,889 06
Interest on Assessments	35,000 00	11,623 09	14,036 68
Fencing vacant Lots	2,000 00	1,746 27	1,045 09
Liens on Lots	20,000 00	18,448 30	13,055 59
Moneys refunded on Assessment sales.	35,000 00	28,193 20	9,786 36
" " Sales for Taxes	10,000 00	426 72	
Streets Opening	250,000 00	23,907 82	25,231 35
Streets Paving	600,000 00	595,550 65	600,311 15
Docks and Slips	10,000 00	4,271 27	2,130 67
Wells and Pumps	1,500 00	596 86	1,269 48
Washington Square Iron Railing	.....	.....	5,000 00
Closing Assessment contracts	5,000 00	5,000 00	
Total Expenditures		$694,972 09	
Total Receipts		677,130 51	
Amount advanced from Treasury		$17,841 58	
" due Treasury, January 1, 1850		135,467 76	
Total advance from Treasury, December 31, 1850		$153,309 34	$677,130 51

Receipts and Expenditures for County Offices, during the year 1850.

ACCOUNTS.	Appropriations.	Expenditures.	Receipts.
County Clerk's Office	$23,200 00	$23,097 38	$25,051 85
Register's Office	24,800 00	24,789 93	36,384 52
Surrogate's Office	8,500 00	8,379 80	11,946 62
* Clerk of Superior Court	6,900 00	6,375 00	5,414 71
	$63,400 00	$62,642 11	$78,797 70
Total expenditures	.....	.....	62,642 11
Excess of receipts over expenditures	.....	.....	$16,155 59

Treasury Loan Account.

Amount of Revenue Bonds issued in anticipation of the Tax of 1850, bearing interest at the rate of 4, 4½ and 5 per cent	$2,562,153 00
Of the above were paid off during the year 1850	1,796.103 00
Leaving outstanding, January 1st, 1851, Revenue Bonds of 1850, to the amount of	$766,050 00

* The excess of expenditures over receipts was paid by resolution of the Board of Supervisors, October 5th, 1850.

Appropriations, Expenditures and Receipts on account of City Government, for the year 1849.

HEADS OF ACCOUNT.	Appropriations.	Expenditures.	Receipts.
Alms House	406,000 00	$194,663 55	$13,541 28
Governors of the Alms House		210,000 00	
Aqueduct Repairs	12,364 00	12,364 00	
Board of Health	60,300 00	60,298 88	37 00
Coroner's Fees	17,000 00	8,794 82	
Cleaning Corp'n Docks and Slips	10,000 00	6,695 00	
County Contingencies	100,000 00	94,133 99	1,564 17
Contingent Expenses of Common Council	20,000 00	18,567 19	
Cleaning Streets	166,500 00	166,500 00	14,755 18
Docks and Slips—Repairs	109,000 00	34,000 00	
" " —New work		67,112 72	3,717 78
Donations	14,100 00	13,992 68	
Elections	11,550 00	11,276 32	
Errors and Delinquencies	5,000 00	1,882 45	152 04
Fire Department	73,000 00	63,615 61	87 50
Interest on Revenue Bonds	109,000 00	108,628 65	
Intestate Estate	3,000 00	307 94	6,534 47
Lands purchased for Assessments and Interest	25,000 00		4,435 26
Lands and Places	8,000 00	6,512 01	122 08
Lamps and Gas	214,500 00	214,500 00	
Mayoralty Fees	125 00	125 00	
Markets	2,500 00	2,200 00	
Officers' Fees	30,000 00	29,510 20	201 61
Penalties			70 00
Police	505,000 00	504,085 65	272 06
Printing and Stationery	41,000 00	40,775 42	104 15
Rents	2,000 00	1,850 00	
Repairs and Supplies	78,680 00	78,680 00	41 84
Real Estate expenses	12,100 00	11,961 10	
Real Estate	32,000 00	23,442 09	
Revenue Bonds	1,080,639 00	1080,619 00	3,304,072 00
Roads and Avenues	27,588 00	27,124 71	
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning	10,091 00	10,091 00	12,284 50
Street Expenses	89,000 00	85,420 07	
Salaries	240,000 00	236,467 42	643 00
Sales of Personal Property			1,087 81
Special Loan			35,000 00
Water Pipes and conveying water to Randall's Island	108,200 00	108,200 00	
County Offices	62,758 33	63,381 04	80,315 77
Taxes of 1849			1,083,494 87

Appropriations, Expenditures and Receipts on account of City Government, for the year 1850.

HEADS OF ACCOUNT.	Appropriations.	Expenditures.	Receipts.
Alms House	$400,000 00	$400,000 00	$3,110 50
Aqueduct Construction	19,890 00	19,890 60	
" Repairs	20,000 00	20,000 00	
Board of Health	10,000 00	2,513 61	213 55
Bowling Green Fountain	2,523 03	2,523 03	
Coroner's Fees	13,350 00	12,403 42	
Cleaning Corporat'n Docks and Slips	10,500 00	9,772 00	
City Inspector's Department	10,000 00	10,000 00	
Contingent expenses of Common Council	18,500 00	18,466 84	
County Contingencies	110,000 00	109,936 92	5,451 40
Cleaning Streets	160,000 00	158,637 68	32,191 60
Docks and Slips, Repairs	45,000 00	44,839 08	
" " New work	105,000 00	104,990 14	21,793 00
Donations	15,000 00	9,863 11	
Elections	8,000 00	7,269 83	
Errors and Delinquencies	3,000 00	1,616 27	
Fire Department	45,000 00	44,969 28	
Interest on Revenue Bonds	145,000 00	143,719 86	
Intestate Estates	3,000 00	873 10	4,779 22
Lamps and Gas	185,000 00	184,808 41	
Lands and Places	8,300 00	8,300 00	15 90
" purchased for Assessments	25,000 00	11,302 86	12,636 43
Int'st on Lands purch. for do.	.....	.....	347 62
Markets	5,000 00	4,000 00	
Mayoralty Fees	125 00	125 00	
Officers' Fees	30,000 00	28,291 19	
Penitentiary Hospital	13,000 00	12,694 62	
Police	492,000 00	487,541 57	106 48
Printing	35,500 00	35,207 25	
Real Estate	59,000 00	51,646 33	
Real Estate expenses	40,000 00	39,136 63	252 01
Rents	2,000 00	1,750 00	
Roads and Avenues	50,000 00	50,000 00	
Repairs and Supplies	68,000 00	66,889 91	
Stationery	16,500 00	16,408 31	
Street Expenses	122,000 00	122,000 00	
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning	10,000 00	10,000 00	18,977 00
Salaries	200,000 00	195,103 99	
Sales of Personal Property	.....	.....	3,441 04
Water Pipes	140,000 00	140,000 00	
Total Expenditures	.....	$2,587,490 24	
Total Receipts	.....	108,315 75	
Net Expense	.....	$2,479,174 49	$108,315 75

Temporary Debt of 1849, *and Assets realized towards its Payment.*

Warrants outstanding, January 1st, 1850		$124,169 13
Revenue Bonds		2,223,453 00
Building Loan Stock, No. 2, second installment		50,000 00
State Mill Tax		154,325 52
Special Loan		35,000 00
Due Water Loan Interest		14,000 00
Temporary Debt of 1849		$2,600,947 65
Assets Realized—		
Balance in Treasury, January 1st, 1850	$141,108 67	
Tax of 1849 and previous years	1,900,257 10	
Interest on Tax of 1849 and previous years	44,139 33	
Fees for collecting State Tax	5,490 27	
Amount included in Tax of 1850, now in course of collection to supply the deficiency of Tax of 1849	290,940 60	
Amount due from Trust Accounts, Jan. 1, 1850	135,467 76	
Amount due from Common Schools, Jan. 1, 1850	8,144 49	
" " " Water Fund, Jan. 1, 1850	68,820 76	
Amount of credits returned Comptroller of State on account of State Mill Tax	50,964 84	2,645,333 82
Excess of Assets realized over Temporary Debt of 1849		$44,386 17

Temporary Debt of 1850, *and the means for its Payment, Jan.* 1*st,* 1851.

Warrants on Treasury, outstanding		$282,578 34
Revenue Bonds of 1850		766,050 00
Building Loan Stock, No. 2, third installment		50,000 00
State Mill Tax		143,042 70
Due Water Loan Interest		14,000 00
" Building Loan Stock, No. 3		47,190 00
		$1,302,861 94
To meet the above there are—		
Balance in Treasury, January 1st, 1851.	$395,818 36	
Due from Trust Accounts, January 1st 1851	153,309 34	
Due for advance to Common Schools	71,307 34	
Due from Water Fund	48,820 76	
Balance of Tax of 1850 uncollected	455,815 09	
Amount due from Fire Indemnity Loan, paid in 1848, and for which Fire Indemnity Stock is to be issued	3,023 62	1,128,094 51
Deficiency of Means of 1850		$174,766 53

Tuxable Funds of the Treasury.

Total Tax levied for all purposes in 1850.....	.....	$3,230,345 96
Of which am'nt were levied for Common Schools	$270,768 86	
" " " " State Mill Tax.....	143,042 70	
" " " " Building Loan Stock No. 2.	50,000 00	
" " " " Wash. Square Iron Railing stock....	5,000 00	
" " " " Deficiency of Tax of 1849.....	290,940 60	
" " " " Water Loan Interest	186,689 00	946,441 16
		$2,283,904 80
Discount allowed on Payment of Tax within the year.....	21,604 39	
Amount of Interest received on Tax of 1850...	4,612 74	16,991 65
Net Tax for City Government.....	.....	$2,266,913 15
Net Expenses for support of City Government.	2,479,174 49	
Amount paid for settlement in full, for $138,-018 81, claimed by State of New York, as balance due on State Mill Tax of 1849, and previous years	26,070 57	$2,505,245 06
Deficiency of Means for support of City Government, realized from Tax of 1850.....		$238,331 91
Excess of Receipts of County Offices over Expenditures.....	16,155 59	
Excess of Assets realized over Debt of 1849....	44,386 17	
Amount due from Fire Indemnity Loan.....	3,023 62	63,565 38
Excess of Expenditures over Means of 1850....	.....	$174,766 53

Appropriations, Expenditures and Receipts on all Treasury Accounts, except Trust, County, and City Government, ending Dec. 31, 1850.

ACCOUNTS.	Appropriations.	Expenditures.	Receipts.
WATER FUND.			
Croton Water Stock			$20,000 00
Croton Water Works' Extension.	$25,600	$25,600 00	25,600 00
BUILDING LOAN.			
Workhouse Building	50,000	5,000 00	52,190 00
TEMPORARY DEBT OF 1850.			
Taxes			1,900,257 10
Interest on Taxes			44,139 33
Fees on collection of State Tax			5,490 27
State Mill Tax	130,000	129,431 25	
Revenue Bonds of 1849	2,223,453	2,223,453 00	
Special Loan	35,000	35,000 00	
Building Loan Stock, No. 2	50,000	50,000 00	
SPECIAL TAXATION OF 1850.			
Common Schools	375,000	374,553 24	40,621 53
Water Loan Interest	225,000	186,689 00	
Washington Square Iron Railing Stock, second installment	5,000	5,000 00	
REVENUE BONDS AND TAX OF 1850.			
Revenue Bonds of 1850	1,796,103	1,796,103 00	2,562,153 00
Tax of 1850			2,752,926 48
Interest on Tax of 1850			4,612 74
		$4,830,829 49	$7,407,999 45
Total Expenditures			4,830,829 49
Excess of Receipts			$2,577,160 96
Total expense of City Government for 1850		$2,479,174 49	
Excess of Receipts over Expenditures of County Offices			16,155 59
Advance from Treasury on Trust Accounts		17,841 58	
Warrants on Treasury, outstanding Jan. 1st, 1850		124,169 13	
Warrants on Treasury, outstanding Jan. 1st, 1851			282,578 34
Balance in Bank, 1850			141,108 67
" " 1851		395,818 36	
		$3,017,003 56	$3,017,003 56

RELATIVE VALUE OF THE REAL AND PERSONAL ESTATE

IN THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, AS ASSESSED IN 1850, 1851.

WARDS.	ASSESSMENTS OF 1850.		ASSESSMENTS OF 1851.		TOTAL.		INCREASE.	
	REAL ESTATE.	PERSONAL EST'E	REAL ESTATE.	PERSONAL EST'E	1850.	1851.	REAL ESTATE.	PERSONAL EST.
1	$28,874,383 00	$32,704,211 09	$39,782,583 00	$39,361,364 42	$61,578,594 09	$69,143,947 42	$908,200 00	$6,657,153 33
2	15,123,200 00	1,971,401 68	15,477,300 00	2,063,663 19	17,094,601 68	17,540,963 19	354,100 00	92,261 57
3	13,240,900 00	6,495,466 58	14,409,650 00	8,821,245 54	19,736,366 58	23,230,895 54	1,168,750 00	2,325,778 96
4	8,108,670 00	1,090,100 00	8,238,620 00	1,352,045 00	9,198,770 00	9,590,665 00	129,950 00	261,945 00
5	9,740,650 00	2,290,870 00	10,242,950 00	2,783,664 00	12,031,520 00	13,026,614 00	502,300 00	492,794 00
6	7,567,500 00	1,113,582 00	7,857,250 00	1,127,850 00	8,681,082 00	8,985,100 00	289,750 00	14,268 00
7	10,993,923 00	2,830,463 31	11,121,726 00	2,990,440 00	13,824,386 31	14,112,166 00	127,803 00	159,976 69
8	11,583,225 00	1,431,722 00	11,985,200 00	2,036,939 00	13,014,947 00	14,022,139 00	401,975 00	605,217 00
9	10,936,850 00	2,024,923 38	11,435,250 00	1,918,593 38	12,961,773 38	13,353,843 38	498,400 00	"
10	6,509,500 00	962,700 00	6,622,200 00	1,269,450 00	7,472,200 00	7,891,650 00	112,700 00	306,750 00
11	5,755,700 00	410,507 00	6,560,450 00	626,321 52	6,166,207 00	7,186,771 52	804,750 00	215,814 52
12	8,359,865 00	845,950 00	3,274,400 00	511,600 00	9,205,815 00	3,786,000 00	1,328,692 00	"
13	4,475,500 00	455,005 73	4,561,800 00	639,705 73	4,930,505 73	5,301,505 73	86,300 00	184,700 00
14	7,395,501 26	2,192,779 33	7,887,801 26	2,519,893 19	9,588,280 59	10,397,694 45	482,300 00	327,113 86
15	17,973,500 00	14,513,404 88	18,347,594 00	15,275,270 00	32,486,904 88	33,622,864 00	374,094 00	761,865 12
16	10,832,679 00	883,800 00	14,870,000 00	1,020,950 00	11,716,479 00	15,890,950 00	4,037,321 00	137,150 00
17	12,232,400 00	2,680,966 00	12,479,325 00	3,970,520 00	14,913,366 00	15,449,845 00	246,925 00	289,554 00
18	17,442,230 00	4,041,387 50	25,255,600 00	5,490,187 00	21,483,617 50	30,745,787 00	7,813,370 00	1,448,799 50
19	.....	.....	6,614,157 00	314,800 00	.....	6,928,957 00	.....	.....
	$207,146,176 26	$78,939,240 48	$227,013,856 26	$93,094,501 97	$286,085,416 74	$320,108,358 23	$19,867,680 00	$14,281,141 49

Total valuation in county.....$320,108,358 23
" " lamp district..... 309,746,506 23

Total valuation south of centre of 34th street....$305,201,651 23
" increase..... 34,022,941 49

COMPTROLLER'S PAY DAYS.

The following table will show when to present bills to the Comptroller for payment, and pay days in 1851.

APPLICATION DAYS FOR 1851.	PAY DAYS FOR 1851.
January 9	January 15
" 23	" 29
February 6	February 12
" 20	" 26
March 6	March 12
" 20	" 26
April 3	April 9
" 17	" 23
May 1	May 7
" 15	" 21
" 29	June 4
June 12	" 18
" 26	July 2
July 10	" 16
" 24	" 30
August 7	August 13
" 21	" 27
September 4	September 10
" 18	" 24
October 2	October 8
" 16	" 22
" 30	November 5
November 13	" 19
" 27	December 3
December 11	" 17
" 25	" 30

CROTON AQUEDUCT.

The Compiler is indebted to the President of the Croton Board, and the Commissioner of said Board, for the following interesting statements in relation to the Croton Aqueduct, &c.:

At the point where the aqueduct receives the water at the Dam, the elevation of the bottom of the water-way is one hundred and fifty-three feet above mean tide in the Hudson river, and the top-water line in the Distributing Reservoir at Forty-second street, is one hundred and fifteen feet.

This great elevation is a remarkable feature in the peculiar adaptation of the Croton river to the purposes to which science and art have subjected it, but it is not the only one;—the department, in their report to the Common Council, made on the 31st of December, 1849, say, that "having its sources in many secluded lakes and copious springs, situated in a mountainous and comparatively unfrequented region, intersected by numerous valleys, dark ravines and steep declivities,—resting upon a geological formation consisting principally of gneiss rock, the soil can never support other than a scattered agricultural and pastoral population;—thus assuring us that in all time to come it will continue to pour forth its crystal waters, in undiminished volume and purity. These lakes are readily susceptible, at a small outlay, of being converted into natural reservoirs, and furnish the means of accumulating thousands of millions of gallons of water, to be used as the exigencies of coming centuries may require."

The Croton river, its Formation and Sources.

The Croton river, which supplies the city of New York with an inexhaustible stream of pure water, rises in Putnam county, the springs at the head of which form three branches, known as the East, Middle and West branches of the Croton; the first of which has its supply increased by the overflow of creans, stones and peach ponds, the superficial areas of which are about five hundred acres; the middle branch is supplied almost wholly by the spring at its source, while the western concentrates the surplus from White's, Barrel's, Brown's, Cole's, Lockland, Court-house, Crosby and Crane's ponds, the united area of which is about eight hundred and seventy acres. These branches unite their supply a little south of Owentown, near the boundary line between Putnam and Westchester counties, forming the Croton river, which, at Mechaniesville, receives by Cross and Beaver Dam rivers the overflow supplies from Long pond, four miles north of Bedford, and which has an area of eight hundred acres. About a mile below Mechaniesville the Croton is further reinforced by the Muscoot river, with the supplies of Lake Mahopac, Kirk, Berry and Yorktown ponds, the united areas of which is estimated at fifteen hundred acres. The supply is therefore from natural formed lakes covering a surface of over thirty-six hundred acres, each of which may be made into store-houses or reservoirs, for an additional supply in time of need. The supplies to these ponds and branches is almost exclusively from the elevated land of Westchester and

Putnam counties, furnished by pure springs, which are characteristic of granite formations, surrounded by cleared upland shores, generally cultivated as grazing farms ; the whole possessing an aspect of extraordinary cleanliness. The water is perfectly soft and clear, and fed by such springs can scarcely be otherwise than pure. The quantity of saline matter, according to the analysis of Chilton, does not exceed two-and-eight-tenths of grains in the gallon.

The Lake.

Having thus disposed of the sources of supply, we, at five miles below the confluence of the Muscoot, arrive at the lake or reservoir, which is irregular in shape, and so formed by the variations in the banks of the river and the obstruction to the channel, by the dam erected at the head of the works. The lake is four miles in length, and covers an area of four hundred acres, varying in depth from one to fifty feet, and holding an available supply of five hundred millions of gallons above the level, which will allow the aqueduct to discharge thirty-five millions of gallons per day. About two miles above the dam the lake is crossed by Pine's bridge, at a location and crossing well known as such in the revolutionary history of the county. The beauty of this sheet of water strikes every visitor with pleasure, while the cleanliness of the banks reflect credit on the keeper of this portion of the works, as well as on the precautionary measures adopted by the projectors of this magnificent undertaking, to preserve the banks from the encroachments of the adjoining owners, or the evils to be apprehended from the designs of the vicious.

The Dam.

This structure, on the stability of which, perhaps, more depends, than on any other part of the work, is built of interlocked wood and stone-work, of sufficient strength to withstand the pressure of the immense body of water in the lake, rises to the height of forty feet above the rocky bed of the river, which at this point is two hundred and eighty feet wide. The face of the dam, built of cut granite, is in two sections or parts, the east of which is ninety feet wide, having a fall of forty feet ; the western division has a fall of the same height, with a width of one hundred and eighty feet, over a beautifully formed facing of an ogee shape. Between the divisions of this structure, a pier forms the foundation for the gate-house and sluice-way for relieving the structure of its pressure from the lake, or for the discharge of the waters during the repairs which may be required on the dam, or the aprons of hewn timber which receive the water after the overflow. The gate-house is reached by a bridge from the eastern shore, running parallel with the dam immediately over the lip. The waters after leaving the aprons, overflow a gravelled bed for about two hundred feet, at the extremity of which they are again broken by a brush dam composed of hemlock logs, after passing which the river flows on in its natural channel until it reaches the Hudson, at about six miles from this point. Over the brush dam, and about three hundred feet below the face of the main structure, a bridge has been erected for the convenience of travellers, and from a position on which, the fall over the dam is received with the most facility, and to the greatest advantage—the water, in its passage over the dam, presenting a beautiful lacework-like appearance, and eliciting the admiration of the visitor. By far the greater and most difficult part of this structure is hidden from the view, but sufficient will be found in this part of the work to arrest the attention of the tourist, and will repay the admirer of the beautiful in art and nature, for his trouble in reaching this sequestered spot.

TABULAR STATEMENT

Of Pipe laid for the distribution and supply of the city of New York with Croton water to Jan. 1, 1851.

The figures at the head of the columns indicate the internal diameter of the pipe ; those in the columns the number of feet laid. N. S., North Side ; S. S., South Side ; E. S., East Side ; W. S., West Side ; C., Centre ; =, Double Line of Pipe.

FIRST—PIPE LAID AT SUNDRY TIMES, AND NOT INCLUDED IN THE LIST PUBLISHED IN MANUAL FOR YEAR 1850.

Streets.	From	To	36.	30	24.	20.	16.	12.	10.	6.
One hundred and twenty-fifth...	Tenth avenue.....	Harlem river.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10436
Eightieth.....	Fifth avenue.....	W. S. to Centre st.	80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Seventy-ninth.....	Sixth avenue.....	Fifth avenue.....	3300	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Seventy-ninth, =....	Fifth avenue.....	Third avenue.....	.....	2080	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Fifth avenue.....	Eighteenth street....	Seventy-ninth st...	284	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Fifth avenue, =.....	Eighteenth street....	Fortieth street.....	21120	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Third avenue.....	Seventy-ninth street..	Fourteenth street..	.....	1686	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Fortieth, =.....	Fifth avenue.....	Reservoir.....	500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Manhattan valley. =	.....	.....	8360	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
High bridge =.....	.....	.....	3900	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

SECOND—PIPE LAID BETWEEN JANUARY 1 AND AUGUST 20, 1849.

Streets.	Between		36.	30.	24.	20.	16.	12.	6.	4.
Broadway	Twenty-first	Twenty-sixth						1418		
Broadway	Twenty-sixth	Twenty-third						1990		
Twenty-third	Fifth avenue	Broadway							211	
Twenty-sixth	Broadway	160 E. Madison av.							950	
Thirty-first	300 E. of Broadway	160 W. Eighth av.							2560	
Thirty-third	Broadway	415 ft east							450	
Thirty-fourth	Eighth avenue	Seventh avenue							960	
Thirty-sixth	250 ft. E. Tenth av.	Tenth avenue							295	
Forty-third	Eighth avenue	Eleventh avenue							3520	

THIRD—PIPE LAID BETWEEN AUGUST 20, 1849, AND JANUARY 1, 1850.

North William	Frankfort	Chatham							450	
Avenue 2d	Stuyvesant square	Fountain						260		
Avenue 2d	Stuyvesant square	Fountain					953			
Avenue 3d	Thirty-third	Thirty-eighth						950		
Avenue 8th	Twenty-third							50		
Twelfth street	Dry Dock street	Avenue C							900	
Eighteenth street	Avenue A	Avenue 1st							810	
Twentieth street	Avenue 1st	Avenue 2d							392	
Twenty-third	Avenue 7th	Avenue 8th							840	
Twenty-fourth	Avenue 1st	Avenue 2d							90	
Twenty-fifth	Avenue 10th	West							162	
Twenty-fifth	Madison avenue	Avenue 4th							530	
Twenty-eighth	Avenue 8th							100		
Twenty-eighth	Avenue 1st	East river						690		
Thirteenth	Avenue 8th	Avenue 9th							800	
Thirty-first	Avenue 11th	H. R. railroad dep.							1160	

Thirty-first	Avenue 8th	Avenue 9th							153		
Thirty-second	Avenue 4th	Madison avenue							324		
Thirty-second	Broadway	Avenue 5th							506		
Thirty-fourth	Avenue 9th	Avenue 10th								520	
Thirty-seventh	Avenue 8th	Avenue 10th							1807		
Fortieth	Avenue 7th	Avenue 8th							475		

FOURTH—PIPE LAID DURING THE YEAR 1850.

Burmingham	Madison street	Henry street								272	
Fulton market										187	
Gay street	Christopher	Fourth street								272	
Hudson	Twelfth	Thirteenth							252		
Manhattan	Cannon	Third							331		
Morris	Washington	West								238	
Madison avenue	Thirty second	Thirty-fourth							451		
Lexington avenue	Twenty-ninth	Thirty-second							714		
Second avenue	Fourteenth	Twenty-fourth							2237		
Third avenue	Seventy-ninth	Eighty-sixth						1990			
Third avenue	106th street	122d street								4200	
Fourth avenue	Twenty-first	Twenty-fourth							800		
Fifth avenue	Nineteenth	Thirtieth							2700		
Fifth avenue	Fortieth	Forty-second	640								
Seventh avenue	Twenty-second	Twenty-fifth							842		
Seventh avenue	Thirty-second	Forty-second							2400		
Ninth avenue	Forty-second	Forty-third							340		
Thirteenth street	Tenth avenue	Eleventh avenue							527		
Fourteenth street	First avenue	Third avenue							1540		
Sixteenth street	Avenue A	Avenue B							680		
Seventeenth street	Avenue A	First avenue							247		
Seventeenth street	Broadway	Fourth avenue							51		
Eighteenth street	Avenue A	Avenue B							672		
Nineteenth street	First avenue	Second avenue							672		
Twentieth street	First avenue	Second avenue							315		
Twenty-fourth	Seventh avenue	Eighth avenue							800		

Streets,	Between		36.	30.	24.	20.	16.	12.	6.	4.
Twenty-fifth	First avenue	Avenue A							100	
Twenty-sixth	Tenth avenue	Eleventh avenue							179	
Twenty-seventh	First avenue	Second avenue							281	
Twenty-seventh	Tenth avenue	Eleventh avenue							351	
Twenty-ninth	Third avenue	Eighth avenue				5000				
Thirty-first	Third avenue	Lexington avenue							425	
Thirty-first	Fourth avenue	Lexington avenue							238	
Thirty-first	Ninth avenue	Tenth avenue							791	
Thirty-second	Broadway	Fifth avenue							408	
Thirty-second	Fourth avenue	Lexington avenue							238	
Thirty-second	Sixth avenue	Seventh avenue							179	
Thirty-third	Broadway	Fifth avenue							468	
Thirty-third	Broadway	Eighth avenue							1938	
Thirty-third	Tenth avenue	Eleventh avenue							952	
Thirty-fourth	Third avenue	Second avenue							100	
Thirty-fourth	Madison avenue	Fourth avenue							125	
Thirty-fifth	Third avenue	Second avenue							323	
Thirty-sixth	Third avenue	Second avenue							332	
Thirty-seventh	Fifth avenue	Eighth avenue							3026	
Thirty-ninth	Eighth avenue	Ninth avenue							357	
Fortieth	Sixth avenue	Eighth avenue							1241	
Forty-second	Reservoir	Third avenue		2390						
Seventy-ninth	Third avenue	East river							3000	
Eighty-sixth	Third avenue	Fourth avenue							943	

RECAPITULATION.

PIPE OF ALL SIZES LAID PREVIOUS TO JANUARY **1, 1851.**

4 inch pipe.....7,631 feet	12 inch pipe....224,523 feet	24 inch pipe.....5,400 feet	
6 inch pipe....722,475 "	16 inch pipe.....14,078 "	30 inch pipe.....27,581 "	TOTAL.
10 inch pipe.....5,875 "	20 inch pipe.....25,675 "	36 inch pipe.....61,834 "	207 miles 2,112 feet.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

OF THE

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

January, 1851.

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JOSEPH McKEEN,
County Superintendent, 39 Fifth street.

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FIRST WARD.

Henry Nicoll.....7 Nassau street
Joseph Blackburn.....53 Vesey street

SECOND WARD.

Cyrus Lawton.....124 Nassau street
John Y. Savage.....92 Fulton street

THIRD WARD.

J. S. Redfield.....137 Nassau street

FOURTH WARD.

George H. Purser.....Tax Commissioner
William O'Donnell, M. D.....41 Oliver street

FIFTH WARD.

Thomas E. Smith.....25 Park Row
Joseph W. Meeks.....9 Vesey street

SIXTH WARD.

Frederick L. Vultee.....54 Wall street
Hugh Sweeny, M. D.....96 Elm street

SEVENTH WARD.

William T. Pinkney.....220 Henry street
William D. Murphy.....233 Henry street

EIGHTH WARD.

Alexander Meakim.....511 Broadway
James W. Beekman.....553 Broadway

NINTH WARD.

John McLean.....44 Morton street
Benjamin F. Curtis.....259 Washington street

TENTH WARD.

Edward A. Fraser.....County Clerk's Office
Augustus Weisman.....257 Broome street

ELEVENTH WARD.

James C. Willett.....40 Avenue C
Charles J. Dodge.....253 South street

TWELFTH WARD.

Elisha Morrill.....9 Chambers street
William H. Elting.....75 Nassau street

THIRTEENTH WARD.

David Tappen.....272½ Grand street
George H. Covert.....444 Grand street

FOURTEENTH WARD.

John Boyd.....202 Elm street
Abram B. Davis.....208 Mulberry street

FIFTEENTH WARD.

Erastus C. Benedict.....70 Wall street
Thomas Denny.....Jauncey Court, Wall street

SIXTEENTH WARD.

Ovid P. Wells, M. D.....123 Ninth avenue
Asa Smith.....12 Lamartine place

SEVENTEENTH WARD.

Jonathan H. Ransom.....32 Cortlandt street

EIGHTEENTH WARD.

Luther Bradish.....36 East Sixteenth street
John D. Russ, M. D.....15 Centre street

NINETEENTH WARD.

Oran W. Morris.....147 Nassau street
Wm. H. Aldis.....County Clerk's Office

E. C. BENEDICT, *President.*
ALBERT GILBERT, *Clerk.*
CURTIS C. BEAN, *Deputy Clerk.*

STANDING COMMITTEES.

Executive Committee for the Care, Management and Government of the Free Academy.

LUTHER BRADISH, *Chairman*, CHARLES J. DODGE,
WILLIAM T. PINKNEY, THOMAS DENNY,
HENRY NICOLL.

1. *Finance Committtee.*

J. S. Redfield,
John D. Russ,
Cyrus Lawton.

2. *Auditing Committee.*

John Y. Savage,
William H. Aldis,
Edward A. Fraser.

3. *Committee on Apportionment of the School Money.*

Ovid P. Wells,
James C. Willett,
Joseph Blackburn.

4. *On Applications for New Schools.*

Oran W. Morris,
Asa Smith,
Augustus Weisman.

5. *On Buildings and Repairs.*

William D. Murphy,
John McLean,
William H. Elting.

6. *On Warming and Ventilating of School Houses.*

William O' Donnell,
Ovid P. Wells,
George H. Covert.

7. *On Printing.*

Thomas E. Smith,
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Elisha Morrill.

8. *On the Annual Report.*

James W. Beekman,
Hugh Sweeny,
George H. Purser.

9. *On Evening Free Schools.*

Charles J. Dodge,
John D. Russ,
William O'Donnell,
Abram B. Davis,
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10. *On Accounts in Clerk's Office.*

Frederick L. Vultee,
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John Boyd.

11. *On Quarterly Reports to the Common Council.*

Edward A. Fraser,
David Tappen,
James C. Willett.

12. *On Election and Qualification.*

Benjamin F. Curtis,
Joseph N. Meeks,
Henry Nicoll.

13. *On Correspondence.*

John D. Russ,
Henry Nicoll,
Hugh Sweeny.

INSPECTORS OF COMMON SCHOOLS OF THE SEVERAL WARDS.

FIRST WARD.

Kneeland S. Townsend.....61 Broadway
Michael Treanor.....22 Rector street

SECOND WARD.

James Hays.....132 Beekman street
Patrick McAlpin.....92 Beekman street

THIRD WARD.

Alanson S. Jones.....148 Chambers street
Moses N. Hoppock.....49 Barclay street

FOURTH WARD.

Michael Berne.....
Patrick Merrick.....15 Oliver street

FIFTH WARD.

James Kennedy.....186 Duane street
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SIXTH WARD.

J. Felix Hart.....13 Chambers street
O. Sweeny, M. D.....Elm and Walker streets

SEVENTH WARD.

George T. Hope.....50 Wall street
James P. Bremner.....171 Henry street

EIGHTH WARD.

J. Welden Fell, M. D.....173 Spring street
Jonathan W. Allen.....136 Thompson street

NINTH WARD.

Charles C. Buxton.....corner Bleecker and Amos streets
Israel Bower.....65 Jane street

TENTH WARD.

A. V. Stout.....95 Rivington street
Wm. C. Bradley.....252 Broome street

ELEVENTH WARD.

George W. Riblet.....305 Fifth street
Edwin Bouton.....276 Seventh street

TWELFTH WARD.

Daniel F. Tieman.....Manhattanville
Hickson W. Field..... —— ——

THIRTEENTH WARD.

Charles D. Field.....478 Grand street
Robert H. Johnston.....6 Mangin street

FOURTEENTH WARD.

Hugh W. McDonnell..... —— ——
F. W. Gilley.....126 Bowery

FIFTEENTH WARD.

William Taylor.....49 Bleecker street
Isaac O. Barker.....286 Fourth street

SIXTEENTH WARD.

Joseph S. Myers.....279 West Eighteenth street
Bezaliel F. Smith..... 222 West Twenty-second street

SEVENTEENTH WARD.

John T. Allen ..... 119 Fourth avenue
E. Delafield Smith ..... 17 Wall street

EIGHTEENTH WARD.

Francis O. Dorr ..... 102 East Nineteenth street
James W. Gerard ..... 17 Gramercy Park

NINETEENTH WARD.

Isaac Adriance ..... Third avenue and Fifty-eighth street
Jotham Wilson ..... Sixty-fourth street, near Bloomingdale Road

TRUSTEES OF COMMON SCHOOLS FOR THE SEVERAL WARDS.

FIRST WARD.

John Clitz Morrison ..... 108 Greenwich street
Charles Stewart ..... 76 Nassau street
Jacob Rosevelt ..... 39 Pearl street
John J. Drummond ..... 40 Greenwich street
Alexander Isaacs ..... 7 Greenwich street

SECOND WARD.

James McKinley ..... Fulton market
Theodore Keeler ..... —— ——
Samuel Waterbury ..... 60 Beekman street
Daniel P. Smith ..... 102 Fulton street
James C. Stoneall ..... 131 Fulton street

THIRD WARD.

Charles H. St. John ..... 53 Barclay street
John Phyfe ..... 19 Murray street
Joseph H. Howard ..... —— ——
George W. Thatcher ..... —— ——

FOURTH WARD.

Daniel C. Pentz ..... 51 Oak street
Abijah Ingraham, M. D. .....
Timothy Garrick ..... 23 Chatham street
Daniel W. Clark ..... 9 Roosevelt street
John Clark ..... 78 Frankfort street

FIFTH WARD.

Seth Grosvenor ..... 39 White street
William Scott ..... 118 Hudson street
A. L. De Camp ..... 9 Beach street
John F. Seaman ..... 141 Hudson street
Andrew W. Leggett ..... 119 Canal street

SIXTH WARD.

E. J. McGloin ..... 4 Benson street
M. Murray ..... Anthony street
P. Garrick ..... 41 Duane street
William Sinclair ..... 123 White street

SEVENTH WARD.

Wade B. Worrall.....13 Rutgers street
Thomas Truslow.....160 Madison street
Jacob L. Barker.....268 East Broadway
George A. Buckingham.....162 Madison street
J. W. Barker.....131 Monroe street

EIGHTH WARD.

John Douglass.....274 Spring street
William B. Aitken.....298 Hudson street
J. D. Price.....511 Washington street
Joseph R. Faaet.....32 Renwick street
William Bloomfield.....28 Dominick street

NINTH WARD.

John W. Latson.....179 Broadway
James W. Booth.....85 Bedford street
James H. Townsend.....701 Greenwich street
George McDonald.....10 City Hall
George P. Nelson.....97 West Thirteenth street

TENTH WARD.

William Anderson.....221 Broome street
Joseph M. Bell.....corner of Essex and Hester streets
William Jones, Jr.....36 Orchard street
James Horn.....9 Chrystie street
Dr. E. R. Belcher.....301 Broome street

ELEVENTH WARD.

William Bennett.....282 Fifth street
John Pickford.....90 Lewis street
Hugh Crombie.....40 Avenue C
Charles Perly.....118 Cannon street
James R. Steers.....230 Seventh street

TWELFTH WARD.

Edgar Ketcham.....79 Nassau street
J. S. Breath.....50 Exchange place
F. W. Lamberson....One hundred and twenty-ninth st., near Sixth avenue
D. Fanshaw.....92 Third avenue
John Meggs..... —— ——

THIRTEENTH WARD.

John Marrenner.....6 Suffolk street
John F. Russell.....34 Norfolk street
Stephen Brooker.....248 Division street
Augustus Morand.....25 Suffolk street
John T. Klots.....15 Tompkins street

FOURTEENTH WARD.

Henry P. West.....155 Grand street
E. Martin..... —— ——
P. Dolan.....203 Mulberry street
H. Slevin, M. D..... —— ——

FIFTEENTH WARD.

Shephard Knapp.....2 Washington square
Sylvester L. H. Ward.....232 Fourth street
Edward L. Beadle, M. D.....42 Bleecker street
James L. Oliver.....62 Amity street
Samuel L. Griswold, M. D.....corner of Fourth and Mercer streets

SIXTEENTH WARD.

James Pollock.....235 West Eighteenth street
Theodore Martine.....West Twenty-eighth street, near Ninth avenue
John Delamater.....205 Tenth avenue

Thomas Christy.....29 London Terrace, West Twenty-third street

SEVENTEENTH WARD.

Theodore Banks.....59 Third street
John J. Townsend.....114 Second street
Ebenezer H. Brown.....399½ Houston street
Nathan C. Ely.....8 Third street
William Dodge.....111 Seventh street

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Luther C. Carter.....East Twenty-fourth street, near Lexington avenue
Abel T. Anderson.....52 East Twenty-fourth street
Charles H. Smith.....Twenty-fourth street, near Fourth avenue
Ephraim Holbrook.....66 Union place

NINETEENTH WARD.

James A. Ferguson.....Forty-third street, near Eighth avenue
George A. Toffey.....Fortieth street, near Broadway
John D. Hoyt.....Fifty-fourth street, near East river
J. W. Rumsey.....Fifty-eighth street, near Old road
John A. Van Riper..Forty-third street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues

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WARD SCHOOLS

UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE SEVERAL WARDS IN WHICH THE SCHOOLS ARE LOCATED.

Ward School No. 1.—Nineteenth Ward.

Fifty-first street and Lexington avenue.

TEACHERS.

Boys	David F. Drew	Fiftieth st., bet. Fourth and Fifth avenues
	John Robinson	Seventh avenue, near Fortieth street
	Hester A. Town	57 Twenty-fifth street
Girls	Jane T. Meigs	East Fiftieth street, near Fifth avenue
	Sarah F. Miller	Forty-seventh street, near East river
	Ada B. Morris	East Fiftieth st., near Fifth avenue
Primary	Ann E. D. Rockwell	Fiftieth street, near Second avenue
	Cordelia C. Rockwell	Fiftieth street, near Second avenue

Ward School No. 2.—Seventeenth Ward.

Ninth street, corner First avenue.

TEACHERS.

Boys	Wm Kennedy	36 King street
	Wm. Smeaton	114 Bleecker street
	Deborah Ann Truss	117 Eleventh street
	Jane Augusta Spelman	82 First street
	Sarah C. Buckbee	9 Seventh street
Girls	Hester Ann Rodgers	44 Sixth street
	Jane Hinton	148 Third avenue
	Georgiana Hawkins	168 Houston street
	Mary Ellen Hinton	148 Third avenue
	Mary W. Spelman	82 First street
Primary	Cornelia Nicholson	120 Ludlow street
	Helen C. Cornell	197 Allen street
	Mary C. Howe	109 Allen street
	Charity Carpenter	181 Ninth street
	Matilda A. Kennedy, corner Thirty-first street and Fourth avenue	
	Harriet Augusta Howe	109 Allen street
	Andrew Jackson Hudson, Janitor	221 Sullivan street

Ward School No. 3.---Tenth Ward.

Ludlow street, near Delancey street.

TEACHERS.

Boys	William Belden, jr	21 Fifth street
	Joseph W. Mather	195 East Broadway
	Thomas W. Concklin	—— ——
	Annie Thomson	63 Second street
	Mary Antoinette Megie	21 Fifth street
	Mary C. Sperry	272 Ninth street
	Mary E. Winter	37 Rivington street

Girls.....	Martha Ames	62 Pacific street, Brooklyn
	Anna Thomas	55 Fifth street
	Hester Sperry	272 Ninth street
	E. A. Trott	— —
	Sarah Scantlebury	4 Mott street
	Mary McGuire	152 Forsyth street
	Eliza Knapp	10 Stanton street
Primary..	Ann E. Lloyd	— —
	Cornelia Ellick	457 Houston street
	Catharine A Herskell	45 Orchard street
	Susan Drinker	137 Eldridge street
	Charlotte T. Glover	143 Essex street
	Mary King	273 Houston street
	Francis M. McKinley	190 Mulberry street

Ward School No. 4.---Fourteenth Ward.

Marion street, near Prince street.

TEACHERS.

Boys.....	George W. Cooper	144 West Seventeenth street
	John Boyle	138 Mulberry street
	John J. Sturdivant	Thirty-first street, near Seventh avenue
	Kate McMahon	49 Bleecker street
Girls.....	Catharine R. Duling	54 Bleecker street
	Virginia P. Duling	54 Bleecker street
	Rosa M. Martin	176 Grand street
	Ellen C. O'Brien	182 Walker street
Primary..	Mary E. Earle	Fortieth street and Fourth avenue
	Francis H. P. Meginley	152 Third avenue
	Julia H. Spader	96 South First street, Williamsburgh
	Sarah J. Martin	176 Grand street
	Ellen T. A. Hearn	22 Prince street
	Elizabeth F. Battle	218 Wooster street

Ward School No. 5.---Eleventh Ward.

Stanton street, corner of Sheriff.

TEACHERS.

Boys.	Seneca Durand	1 Park place
	E. A. Jones	16 Avenue C
	Margaret Paterson	10 Third street
	Lorena C. Allen	279 Third street
	Esther A. Myers	80 Greene street
	Mary Harper	267 Fifth street
	Joanna Barnum	38 Vesey street
Girls.....	Jane E. Duncan	305 Grand street
	Hannah M. Rutherford	204 Broome street
	Mary Bennett	282 Fifth street
	Abigail Everett	69 Marion street
	Sarah A. Gilfilan	134 East Broadway
Primary..	Francis J. Murray	666 Fourth street
	Abbey W. Hunt	33 Avenue D
	Anna L. Cook	44 Clinton street
	Mary Ann Luber	208 Stanton street
	Harriet Lockwood	145 First avenue
	Julia A. Bell	222 Seventh street
	Anna M. Murray	666 Fourth street

Ward School No. 6.---Sixth Ward.

26 and 28 City Hall place.

TEACHERS.

Boys.....	William Mullany	152 Leroy street
	B. Carrick	56 Beekman street
	J. McBride	49 Orange street
Girls.....	C. Duffy	81 Broome street
	C. T. Dalton	93 Mulberry street
Primary..	S. A. Dowling	5 State street
	C. T. McGoin	12 Green street
	M. A. Gallagher	121 Walker street
	S. F. Gillespie	31 City Hall place

Ward School No. 7.---Sixth Ward.

Mott and Cross streets.

TEACHERS.

Girls.....	Margaret Kevney	corner of Bleecker and Mulberry streets
	Francis B. Murray	204 Third avenue

Ward School No. 8.—Sixth Ward.

Elm street, near Leonard.

TEACHERS.

Boys.....	James M. Sweeny	32 Attorney street
	Anthony T. Gallagher	32 East Broadway
	Stinson McIver	153 Elm street
Girls.....	Catharine O'Rouke	87 Elm street
	Margaret A. McCosker	243 Bowery
Primary..	Mary S. McDermott	87 Elm street
	Anna C. Rouke	87 Elm street
	Mary A. McGloin	103 Bayard street

Ward School No. 9—Fourth Ward.

13 Oak street.

TEACHERS.

Theresa A. Moran, *Principal*	87 Beekman street
Eliza J. Jordan	166 East Broadway
Ann E. Donelin	188 Madison street
Harriet Watson	109 Attorney street
Catharine P. White	35 Rose street
Catharine Fitz Gibbin	198 Fifth street

Ward School No. 10—Fourth Ward.

32 James street.

TEACHERS.

Boys.....	Samuel S. St. John	114 First street
	John Halpin	127 Hudson avenue, Brooklyn
	Miles Lavelle	49 James street
	Walter K. Ritch	110 Thompson street
	Catharine M. Griffin	10 Moore street

Girls.....	Judith Peixotto	12 Bedford street
	F. I Johnson	643 Fourth street
	Mary Flannegan	8 Sixth avenue
	Aurelia Horton	81 Henry street
	Catharine M. Blaney	216 Cherry street
	Catharine Ryan	62 Division street
	Rose Cronley	9 Roosevelt street
Primary..	Eliza Reynolds	25 Hamilton street
	Mary S. Preston	12 Attorney street
	Margaret Deane	117 Hester street
	Catharine Lynch	Catharine street
	Maria Dolan	53 Beekman street
	Louisa Chambers	189 Mott street
	Mary A. Buckley	120 Water street
	Anne L. O'Donnell	115 Mulberry street

Ward School No. 12—Fourth Ward.

74 Oliver street.

TEACHERS.

Emily B. Sleight	88 Frankfort street
Frances A. Fitzpatrick	27 Madison street
Harriet E. Corse	24 Oliver street
Mary M. Gillespie	6 Madison street
Constance Bon	Washington street, Hoboken
Abby B. Martin	176 Grand street

Ward School No. 13—Twelfth Ward.

Fortieth street, near Eighth avenue.

TEACHERS.

Boys.....	Joseph Finch	Thirty-first st., between Eighth and Ninth ave's
	John S. Ketcham	" " " " "
	James H. Halleck	" " " " "
	Abm. Van Riper	Forty-third st., bet. Eighth and Ninth ave's
Girls.....	Anna M. Rogers	Broadway, near Thirty-fourth street
	Anna Baman	247 Elizabeth street
	Mary Slater	Fortieth street, near Seventh avenue
	Mary Miller	167 Twenty-first street
	Matilda Westfall	52 Twenty-eighth street
	Julia Pond	Sixth avenue, near Fourth street
	Matilda Vandalin	Horatio street
Primary..	Sarah Gibson,	Eighth av., Thirty-third and Thirty-fourth streets
	Julia Scarlet	Eighth avenue
	Julia C. Pattison	— —
	Margaret Miller	Twenty-first street

Ward School No. 14—First Ward.

97 Greenwich street.

TEACHERS.

Boys.. ...	Thomas Foulke	76 Rivington street
	Thomas Palmer	De Kalb avenue, Brooklyn
	Thomas Fanning	78 Second avenue
	Nelson B. Bartram	146 Forsyth street

	Josephine Morrison	108 Greenwich street
	Eliza C. Nellis	196 Columbia street
	Emma A. Tuthill	11 Hudson street
	Sarah C. Hubie	94 White street
Girls	Sarah L. Miller	45 East Broadway
	Harriet A. C. Huthwaite	129 White street
	Elizabeth B. Miller	45 East Broadway
	Jane N. Nellis	196 Columbia street, Brooklyn
	Margaret A. Dickey	Union street, Brooklyn
	Emma C. Smith	31 Hubert street
	Mary D. Preswick	9 Columbia street, Brooklyn
Primary	Melissa A. Bennet	28 Charlton street
	Marion Blair	36 John street
	Helen G. Morgan	69 Morton street
	Esther J. Young	293 Washington street
	Sarah L. Peers	158 Mott street
	Sarah E. Beach	409 Greenwich street
	Matilda Faulkner	22 Vandewater street
	Margaretta F. Kerr	86 Frankfort street
	Ellen M. Hackett	44 Greenwich street
	Josephine M. Hume	129 White street
	Emily J. Edison	Jersey City
	Elizabeth Carman	85 Barclay street

Ward School No. 16—Seventh Ward.

Monroe street, near Montgomery.

TEACHERS.

Boys	John J. Anderson	337 Grand street
	Henry C. Martin	45 Rutgers street
	Charles S. Webb	29 Montgomery street
	John R. Ames	21 First street
Girls	Hannah M. Rogers	222 Seventh street
	Catharine E. Clarry	449 Grand street
	Elizabeth Sayre	15 Mangin street
	Margaret A. Barnum	36 Scammel street
Primary	Mary A. Ebbets	163 Elm street
	Ellen P. Daly	174 Ludlow street
	Grace Calbreath	404 Greenwich street
	Frances A. Moore	341 Monroe street
	Mary A. Hannah	149 Madison street

Ward School No. 17---Fourteenth Ward.

Orange street, near Grand.

TEACHERS.

Boys	Edward McIlroy	206 Mulberry street
	Nicholas Mulligan	167 Seventh Seventh street
	E. Butler	Broome street
	Mrs. Madden	66 Marion street
Girls	Ann E. Boyce	96 Greene street
	Eliza A. Tremels	213 West Eighteenth street
	Alicia W. Goodwin	209 Mulberry street
Primary	Jane E. Neal	
	Elizabeth Boussuet	76 Bleecker street
	Catharine Hackett	286 Mulberry street
	Joanna Kelly	141 Elizabeth street

Ward School No. 18—Sixteenth Ward.

Thirty-fifth street, near Ninth avenue.

TEACHERS.

Boys	J. H. Patridge	250 West Twenty-second street
	T. Dwight Martin	250 West Twenty-fourth street
	Benj. D. L. Southerland	135 Charles street
	Sarah K. Farnham	121 East Twenty-sixth street
	Charles B. Butler	414 Seventh avenue
	Elizabeth Weeden	196 Christie street
Girls	Angeline Slater	1086 Broadway
	Emily A. Ellsworth	121 East Twenty-sixth street
	Emily E. Paterson	Eighth avenue, corner Fifty-second street
	Anna P. Malcolm	332 Eighth avenue
	Helen E. Scott	101 West Twenty-sixth street
	Anna M. Dunn	225 West Twenty-fifth street
	Eliza J. Clark	82 Clinton street
Primary	Eliza A. Ebbetts	163 Elm street
	Juliana Luyster	Thirty-seventh street, near Ninth avenue
	Margaret A. Casserly	110 West Twenty-fourth street
	Elizabeth K. McCrea	225 West Twenty-fifth street
	Mary J. Donaldson	282 West Twenty-eighth street
	Janet Young	79 West Twenty-seventh street
	Sarah E. McKusker	115 West Thirty-fifth street

Ward School No. 19—Thirteenth Ward.

Broome street, between Sheriff and Willett streets.

TEACHERS.

Boys	J. D. Demilt	85 Third street
	S. F. Wixon	194 West Eighteenth street
	Annot A. Rutherford	204 Broome street
	Margaret Hebbard	——— ———
	Julia M. Conery	447 Grand street
	Lydia A. Fanning	8 Monroe street
	Mary E. Newman	255 Third street
Girls	Harriet N. Goldey	12 Attorney street
	Sarah A. Smith	South Third street, Williamsburgh
	Mary E. Hart	230 East Broadway
	Eliza Cornwell	105 Essex street
	Margaret C. Mikels	40 Attorney street
	Louisa Shipman	12 Attorney street
	Sarah Jane Osborn	474 Grand street
Primary	Jane Rutherford	204 Broome street
	Julia M. Hatch	75 Delancey street
	Cornelia Allen	101 Attorney street
	Margaret S. Smyth	240 Henry street, Williamsburgh
	Anna A. Van Blarcom	40 Sixth street, Williamsburgh
	Mary C. Timson	126 Cherry street
	Cornelia A. Decker	157 Twenty-fourth street
	Anna Pack	13 Suffolk street
	Ann J. McWhinney	98 Avenue D
	Catharine Griffin	84 Cannon street
Janitor	William Torrance	127 Broome street

Ward School No. 20—Fifteenth Ward.

Thirteenth street, near Sixth Avenue.

TEACHERS.

Boys	John J. Doane	209 West Eighteenth street
	Washington M. Smith	216 Walker street
	Thomas Hunter	209 West Eighteenth street
	Joseph H. Perry	
	William H. Storrs	95 Fourth street
	Aroline C. Hall	9 Carroll place
	Euphemia B. Crowell	149 Charles street
	Martha Townsend	3 Gale's row, Forty-third street
Girls	Sophia S. Cornell	762 Broadway
	Julia Cleland	161 Greene street
	Christina Ferguson	64 Third avenue
	Harriet B. Swift	2 Fortieth street
	Anna J. Cochran	163 Mott street
	Emily F. Pettis	16 Third street
	Mary E. Chamberlain	41 West Twenty-sixth street
	Jane M. Linsey	38 Downing street
Primary	Miriam A. Ashby	164 Ninth avenue
	Anna G. Cook	98 Twelfth street
	Adaline Sleight	609 Washington street
	Naomi S. Ashby	164 Ninth avenue
	Margaret Doruan	11 Hammond street
	Elizabeth Townsend	3 Gale's row, Forty-third street
	Phebe Hope	58 Vestry street

Ward School No. 21—Eleventh Ward.

Ninth street, near Avenue C.

TEACHERS.

Boys	Alpheus D. Du Bois	45 Murray street
	Orson Kellogg	203 West Fifteenth street
	Francis Cambrone	40 Vesey street
	Cordelia Metcalf	39 Montgomery street
	Ellen M. Seely	307 Ninth street
	Sarah E. Smith	70 Columbia street
Girls	Lucinda W. Wooster	241 East Broadway
	Charlotte R. Wooster	241 East Broadway
	Lucinda Sheffield	304 Fifth street
	Caroline Hopkins	103 Monroe street
	Jane M. Gilfillan	134 East Broadway
	Emma C. Robjohn	166 Bowery
Primary	Euretta M. Nicholson	120 Ludlow street
	Mary Jane Vanderhoof	210 Twelfth street
	Martha Jane Knight	368 Tenth street
	Cynthia M. Wood	84 Cannon street
	Frances A. Briggs	197 Twenty-seventh street
	Elizabeth Fickford	90 Lewis street

Ward School No. 22—Twelfth Ward.

Eighty-sixth street, near Fourth avenue.

TEACHERS.

Boys	Wm. P. Moss, jr.	Eighty-sixth street, bet. Third and Fourth avs
	S. H. Meigs	Fiftieth street and Fifth avenue
	Timothy W. Kennedy	Eighty-seventh street and Fifth avenue

Girls.....Ann E. Halstead.....Eighty-seventh street, near Third avenue
Hannah E. Cudlip.....Bloomingdale road and Fortieth street

Ward School No. 23—Eighth Ward.

Clark street, near Broome street.

TEACHERS.

Boys.....J. Elias Whitehead.....61 Sullivan street
Charles W. Lord.....15 Vandam street
Jared G. Baldwin.....160 Delancey street
Miles Finch.....63 Second street
Clara M. Edmonds.....8 Watts street
Elizabeth A. Smith.....71 Charlton street
Henrietta Forbes.....12 Dominick street
L. Grollier.....188 Laurens street
Girls.....Cordelia Chadeayne.....48 Second street
Mary A. Downs.....105 Fourth street
Isabella Hill.....81 Barrow street
Mary Marvin.....69 Bleecker street
Frances C. Church.....476 Greenwich street
Huldah G. Brown.....56 Prince street
Maria M. Mayer.....9 Lispenard street
Catharine V. Forbes.....277 Spring street
Primary..Maria E. Turner.....55 East Twenty-seventh street
Helen M. Knapp.....68 East Thirteenth street
Sarah J. Seaman.....30 Watts street
Emma Palmer.....30 Fifth street
Mary E. Day.....28 Charlton street
Mary Inslee.....555 Broome street
Margaret Felt.....9 West Twelfth street
Amelia Norris.....174 Thompson street
Mary Arnold.....311 Spring street
Catharine L. Dewitt.....215 Varick street

Ward School No. 24---Twelfth Ward.

One hundred and twenty-fifth street, between Second and Third avenues.

TEACHERS.

Boys.....Jacob S. Warner..3d avenue, near One hundred and Sixteenth st
James Riker, jr...One hundred and twenty-fifth st., near 5th av
Girls.....Maria S. Kenyon..One hundred and twenty-seventh-st., n. 2d. av
Caroline P. Kenyon do do do
Primary..Mary Ann Freeman...One hundred and 26th st., near 3d avenue
Priscilla Brass, One hundred and eighteenth st., near 4th avenue
Eliza A. Freeman..One hundred and twenty-sixth st. near 3d av

Ward School No. 25—Eighteenth Ward.

Twentieth street, between First and Second avenues.

TEACHERS.

Boys.....David B. Scott.....20 Gouverneur street
Benjamin Mason.....231 Sullivan street
E. S. Worth.....416 Grand street
D. R. A. Thorp.....633 Hudson-street
Jane M. Greacen...corner Second avenue and Twentieth street
Philindia Woodruff.....11 First street
Elizabeth Greacen..corner Second avenue and Twentieth street

Girls	Barbara Busteed	331 Third avenue
	Sarah E. Day	50 East Eighteenth street
	Mary B. Cooley	68 Lexington avenue
	Hamilton S. Graff	Seventeenth street and Eighth avenue
	Delia F. Day	50 East Eighteenth street
	Emma Turner	55 East Twenty-seventh street
	Mary L. Ketcham	corner Twenty-third street and First avenue
	Monsieur Bouffet	———
Primary	Frances A. Felt	9 Twelfth street
	Jane M. Yates	150 Eldridge street
	Eliza Wilkinson	Twenty-eighth street and Second avenue
	Susan A. Cox	349 Sixth avenue
	Ruth J. Johnson	85 Third street
	Josephine E. Rogers	201 Third avenue
	Susannah Barrett	———
	Augusta Ryckman	———
	Mary Ann Berryman	———

Ward School No. 26—Ninth Ward.

Greenwich avenue.

TEACHERS.

Boys	Francis McNally	148 West Twentieth street
	Lewis W. Annan	810 Greenwich street
	Josiah H. Zabriskie	712 Washington street
	Joseph A. Stickney	810 Greenwich street
	William Herring	165 East Twenty-fifth street
	Edith L. Ashby	Ninth avenue
	Anna R. Dunbar	98 Varick street
	Laura H. Gildersleeve	56 Clarkson street
	Phebe J. Whalley	18 Jones street
	Olivia Edmonds	30 Fifth street
Girls	Abby Harrison	27 Amity street
	Julia Van Vleck	38 Perry street
	M. Louisa Scott	79 Rivington street
	Margaret S. Arnout	175 West Twenty-eighth street
	Margaretta S. Smith	23 Charles street
	Cornelia L. Barnes	263 Bleecker street
	Sarah F. Wixen	194 West Eighteenth street
Primary	Susannah Whitney	80 Bedford street
	Hannah Clinton	118 Hamersley street
	M. Louisa MacFarlane	27 Christopher street
	Caroline Ebaugh	193 West Twenty-third street
	Mary E. Higgins	36 Bedford street
	Maria V. Kohler	158 Spring street
	Angeline Horton	214 West Eighteenth street
	Helen M. Spence	147 West Twenty-first street
	Ellen D. Traphagen	78 Bedford street

Ward School No. 27—Tenth Ward.

Allen street, between Walker and Hester streets.

TEACHERS.

Boys	Elisha L. Avery	114 Forsyth street
	John Walsh	194 Elm street
	Moritz Ertheiler	337 Grand street
	Henry Christman	130 Orchard street
	Elbert A. Young	South Third street, Williamsburgh

	Sophia Greacen	——— ———
	Eliza Sayres	15 Mangin street
Girls	Ann E. Lloyd	164 Forsyth street
	C. Van Deursen	137½ Division street
	Hannah M. Preston	6 Allen street
	Mary Anderson	221 Broome street
	Anna L. Post	South Third street, Williamsburgh
	Imogene Ferry	270 Broome street
	Elizabeth Pethic	166 Bowery
Primary	Marian Yates	150 Eldridge street
	Elizabeth Judson	32 Essex street
	Julia Wohning	——— ———
	Maria E. Dean	116 Chrystie street
	Mary H. Palmer	22 Leroy street
	Elizabeth Sharp	7 East Eleventh street
	Anna Eliza Falconer	108 East Broadway

Ward School No. 28, (formerly Manhattanville Free School.)

One hundred and thirtieth street, near Eleventh avenue.

TEACHERS.

Boys	S. R. Phelps	Eleventh avenue
Girls	Elizabeth Breath	Eleventh avenue and 130th street
	Anne Ranny	——— ———

Ward Primary School No. 2.

276 Second street.

TEACHERS.

Elizabeth Miller	77 Sheriff street
Anna W. Birdsall	255 Houston street
Catharine S. Briggs	48 Attorney street

Ward Primary School No. 4.

Fourth st., near Avenue D.

TEACHERS.

Mary J. Alford	231 Fifth street
Helen J. Nicholson	120 Ludlow street
Hester A. Holley	231 Fifth street

Ward Primary School No. 5—Sixteenth Ward.

West Twenty-ninth st., near Ninth avenue.

TEACHERS.

Sarah A. Dunn	225 West Twenty-fifth street
Elizabeth M. Finch	171 West Twentieth street
Eliza J. Beatty	169 West Thirty-fifth street
Mary A. Updike	271 West Thirty-sixth street

Colored Ward School No. 1.

Yorkville.

TEACHER.

Mary A. Shankland ——— ———

Colored Ward School No. 2.

Harlem.

TEACHER.

Eliza Cooley, ——— ———

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Wm. P. Cooledge.....28 Pike street
H. H. Anderson.....Office of the Counsel to the Corporation
David W. Price.....53 East Broadway

Primary Schools attached—Nos. 2, 11, 13 and 30.

Sec. No. 2.

James Horn.....9 Chrystie street
Thomson Price.....178 East Broadway
Lewis Hallock, M. D.....5 Third street
James B. Brinsmade.....99 Monroe street
Timothy Hedges.....Clarendon Hotel
Robert R. Crosby.....12 Rutgers place
Jos. R. Skidmore.....287 East Broadway

Primary School attached—No. 6.

Sec. No. 3.

Benjamin Ellis.....413 Broome street, corner of Elm
William Mandeville.....62 Charles street
J. Harsen, M. D.....Astor House
J. H. Townsend.....683 Greenwich street
Israel Russell.....19 Wooster street
Chas. C. Leigh.....232 Bleecker street
Richard Warren.....9 Clinton place.

Primary Schools attached—Nos, 8, 9, 10, 24, 29, 33, 34.

Sec. No. 4.

E. H. Brown.....399½ Houston street
H. M. Schieffelin.....142 Front street
S. W. Seton.....757 Broadway
R. Reed.....24 North William street
B. B. Atterberry.....63 Pine street
N. Miller.....216 Seventh street

Primary Schools attached—Nos. 23, 45, 46.

Sec. No. 5.

Lyman Cobb.....305 East Tenth street
Joseph B. Collins.....415 Broome street
J. S. Redfield.....Clinton Hall
H. H. Schieffelin.....763 Broadway
Caleb Bartlett.....17 William street

Primary Schools attached—Nos. 4, 15, 17, 47, 49, 50.

Sec. No. 6.

Joseph Curtis.....47 Lexington avenue
L. W. Stevens.....15 Bleecker street
James Stokes.....Thirty-first street, near First avenue
Peter Cooper.....corner Twenty-eighth street and Fourth avenue
John Davenport.....62 Lexington avenue

Sec. No. 7.

William H. Macey.....47 East Twenty-first street
George T. Trimble.....27 Pike street
John T. Adams.....75 East Fifteenth street

Primary Schools attached—Nos. 1, 14, 40.

Sec. No. 8.

Wm. H. Neilson.....149 Eleventh street
Abram R. Lawrence.....77 East Fifteenth street
J. W. Underhill.....7 Fifth avenue
W. W. Chester.....corner Eighth and Wooster streets
Jos. B. Varnum.....21 Waverley place
D. H. Nevins.....135 Twelfth street
Caleb Swan.....126 Ninth street
Ogden Edwards.....18 St. Marks place

Primary Schools attached—Nos. 19, 25, 26, 37, 53, 54.

Sec. No. 9.

A. V. Williams, M. D.....Bloomingdale
Benjamin R. Winthrop.....134 Second avenue
James F. DePeyster.....915 Broadway
Thomas C. Richmond.....Bloomingdale
P. Perit.....64 South street

Sec. No. 10.

Najah Taylor.....9 Maiden lane
George Ireland, jr.....175 Duane street
William P. Lee.....14 Abingdon square
Benjamin Ellis.....413 Broome street

Primary Schools attached—Nos. 31, 32.

Sec. No. 11.

Jas. F. DePeyster.....915 Broadway
Stephen Allen.....1 Washingotn square
Augustin Averill.....77 Amity street
William H. Neilson.....149 Eleventh street
Caleb Swan.....126 Ninth street
George F. Hussey.....158 Henry street

Sec. No. 12.

J. R. Hurd.....811 Greenwich street
J. W. Howe.....corner Eighth avenue and Seventeenth street
B. C. Wandell.....92 Ninth avenue
L. A. Rosenmuller, M. D.....172 Eighth avenue
Eli Goodwin.....117 Tenth street
Stephen Martindale.....274 West Nineteenth street

Primary Schools attached—Nos. 21, 27, 28, 41, 51 and Col'd P. 3.

Sec. No. 13.

J. W. C. Leveridge.....11 Rutgers place
J. S. Underhill.....209 East Broadway
John Gray.....210 East Broadway
H. H. Barrow.....219 Henry street
W. T. Pinkney.....220 Henry street
George E. Cock.....232 Henry street

Primary Schools attached—Nos. 5, 12, 18, 20, 42, 43.

Sec. No. 14.

B. R. Winthrop.....134 Second avenue
Isaac Ward.....112 Second street
W. Hibbard.....Bowery Ins Co., corner Grand and Bowery
E. H. Brown.....399½ Houston street
William H. Whitlock.....Brooklyn

Primary School attached—No. 48.

Sec. No. 15.

John Davenport.....62 Lexington avenue
Peter Cooper.....17 Burling slip
Joseph Curtis.....47 Lexington avenue
James Stokes.....39 Cliff street
Timothy A. Howe.....Thirty-first street, near Third avenue

Primary Schools attached—Nos. 35 and 55.

Sec. No. 16.

Abner Mills.....642 Fourth street
Thomas B. Stillman.....80 Seventh street
N. Miller.....260 Seventh street
Leonard L. Johnson.....243 Seventh street
Samuel P. Patterson.....73 Avenue D
J. D. B. Stillman, M. D.....93 Avenue C

Primary Schools attached—Nos. 3, 7, 22, 44.

Sec. No. 17.

W. R. Vermilye.....183 West Fourteenth street
James Marsh.....31 Fifth avenue
Jno. S. Bussing.....154 Twelfth street
E. K. Bussing.....274 Fourth street
George P. Nelson.....97 West Thirteenth street
John Groshon.....corner Fourth street and Sixth avenue
F. C. Havemeyer.....193 West Fourteenth street
J. S. Petrie.....159 Eleventh street

Primary Schools attached—Nos. 38, 39. 52.

Sec. No. 18.

L. B. Ward.....corner Tenth avenue and Fifty-ninth street
John W. Howe.....corner Eighth avenue and Seventeenth street
J. C. Hepburn, M. D.....Forty-second street, near Eighth avenue
C. C. Leigh.....Bleecker street, near Carmine
J. H. Mott.....Fifty-fourth street, corner Eleventh avenue
Jos. Potter.....Forty-third street, Eighth and Ninth avenues

Primary School attached—No. 36.

Sec. No. 1.—Colored.

Alexander McClure.....134 Henry street
Lyman Cobb.....72 Lexington avenue
Anthony P. Halsey.....550 Greenwich street
Walter Underhill.....211 East Broadway
J. H. Clapp.....133 Henry street

Primary Schools attached—Nos. 4 and 6.

Sec. No. 2.—Colored.

Willet Seaman.....6 Second street
J. W. Kellogg.....116 Canal street
Orlando D. McClain.....149 Spring street
Joseph Curtis.....47 Lexington avenue

PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Public School No. 1.

245 William street, near Duane.

TEACHERS.

Boys.....William W. Smith.....70 Stanton street
John D. Conely.....19 Essex street
Edward A. Walsh.....183 Eleventh street
George Moore, jr.....66 Ninth avenue
William L. Brown.....498 Hudson street
Girls.....Eliza Harris.....190 Mulberry street
Mary A. Gilfillan.....134 East Broadway
Henrietta Dutch.....200 Hudson street
Mary Adams.....483 Pearl street
Primary...Harriet M. Megie.....55 Stanton street
Eleanor Northrip.....
Elizabeth Everitt.....165 Division street
Hester Honeywell.....29 Bayard street
Elizabeth Bemrose.....11 Jacob street

Public School No. 2.

116 Henry street.

TEACHERS.

Boys.....Henry Kiddle.....205 Monroe street
William Belden.....20 Gouverneur street
William J. Goldley.....12 Attorney street
Edward Schwachhofer.....28 Downing street
Leander T. Brown.....
Girls.....Hannah G. Barnes.....166 Elizabeth street
Letitia Mathews.....60 Catharine street
Elizabeth F. Bunce.....187 East Broadway
Lucy F. Scarborough.....65 Division street

Primary...	Sarah Conklin	28 Rutgers street
	Sarah R. Jauncey	Williamsburgh
	Harriet N. Howland	71 Hester street
	Mary E. Searing	48 Orchard street
	Laura Leal	—— ——

Public School No. 3.

490 Hudson, corner of Grove street.

TEACHERS.

Boys.....	David Patterson	440 Fourth street
	John Grant	579 Washington street
	Thomas Wilks	102 Jane street
	Mary J. Tooker	340 Washington street
	Margaret E. Henry	61 Downing street
Girls.....	Isabella M'Cormick	56 King street
	Amelia Cook	4 Twelfth street
	Mary E. Conklin	119 Perry street
	Frances Comstock	34 Commerce street
	Martha C. Houseworth	264 Spring street
Primary...	D. C. Barnard	8 Newark street, Hoboken
	Lydia A. Waterbury	496 Hudson street
	Mary J. Pinckney	42 Downing street
	Sarah J. Dornan	11 Hammond street

Public School No. 4.

203 Rivington street.

TEACHERS.

Boys.....	John Patterson	39 Fifth street
	C. W. Feeks	14 Columbia street
	J. A. Eisenlord	68 West Fourteenth street
	William H. Post	253 Delancey street
Girls.....	Catharine White	107 Orchard street
	Jane Moon	—— ——
	Mary K. Acheson	145 Houston street
	Dorinda A. Brundage	53 Pitt street

No. 4 has no Primary Department, its basement being occupied by Primary School No. 23.

Public School No. 5.

222 Mott street

TEACHERS.

Boys.....	Michael J. O'Donnell	9 Stanton street
	Albert H. Winslow	17 Stanton street
	M. A. Curran	9 Stanton street
	Michael McCaffrey	—— ——
Girls.....	Eliza A. Field	Newark, (15 Bank street)
	Henrietta C. Shepard	147 Rivington street
	Mary J. Dowlin	148 Grand street
	Armanda S. Marston	8 First street
Primary...	Catharine H. Hardcastle	119 Seventh street
	Fanny Quye	527 Greenwich street
	Anna A. Wallis	186 Mulberry street
	Elizabeth Inness	137 Elm street

Public School No. 6.

On Randall's Island.

TEACHERS.

Boys.....	Thomas P. Okie	145 Waverley place
	Agnes Irving	4 Abingdon place
	Anna Irving	4 Abingdon place
	Margaret Clifford	Randall's Island
Primary...	Susan F. R. Jackson	145 Waverley place
	Augusta W. Scott	749 Washington street
	Margaret Willson	Randall's Island
	Mary A. Green	Randall's Island
	Mary Elizabeth Hayward	150 Eldridge street

These Schools are connected with the Alms House establishment.

Public School No. 7.

60 Chrystie, near Hester street.

TEACHERS.

Boys.....	William H. Reuck	52 Ludlow street
	Samuel D. Allison	150 Walker street
	G. Umpleby	1 Vandam street
	Jacob T Boyle	174 Broome street
	F. M. Campbell	88 Monroe street
	George Stuart	—— ——
Girls.....	Sarah Ann Bunker	203 Chrystie street
	Catharine Sherwood	135 Grand street
	Amanda Honeywell	29 Bayard street
	Prunella Moriarty	13 Rutgers street
	Ellen Chapman	—— ——

No. 7 has no primary department, the building being without a basement.

Public School No. 8.

66 Grand, near Wooster street.

TEACHERS.

Boys.....	Charles S. Pell	Fifty-seventh street and Cato's road
	John A. Graves	77 Pitt street
	Jesse Peck	Thirty-first street, near Fourth avenue
	Robert Burden	Ravenswood
Girls.....	Harriet Bartine	771 Broadway
	Cornelia Honeywell	29 Bayard street
	Charlotte Purdy	South Fourth street, Williamsburgh
	Harriet L. Skidmore	149 Spring street
Primary...	Eliza Mullen	79 Green street
	Antoinette Baldwin	182 Grand street
	Frances M. Wright	48 East Twenty-ninth street
	Catharine E. Kane	27 Grand street

Public School No. 9.

Corner of Eighty-second street and Eleventh avenue.

TEACHERS.

Boys.....	B. G. Bruce	199 Monroe street
	Margaret E. Dominick	—— ——

Girls.....Mary Kelly...corner Seventy-fifth street and Bloomingdale road
Susan Kelly..corner Seventy-fifth street and Bloomingdale road

Public School No. 10.

175 Duane, near Church street.

TEACHERS.

Boys.....Nath. W. Starr.....46 Barrow street
Charles B. Stout.....185 Allen street
Hugh Carlisle.....17 Perry street
George H. Albro.....455 Hudson street
Girls.....Maria F. Savage.....11 Dutch street
Hannah Schults.....10 King street
Lavinia C. Voorhis.....52 Vestry street
Emma Smart.....—— ——
Primary...Hester Dorsett.....—— ——
Sarah A. Foster.....30 Grand street
Mary H. Large.....Hoboken
Martha Sweet.....—— ——

Public School No. 11.

180 Wooster street, near Bleecker.

TEACHERS.

Boys.....George Moore.....66 Ninth avenue
E. Hirst.....566 Broome street
A. S. Thompson.....82 Charlton street
S. G. Penfield.....205 Ninth avenue
Girls.....Sarah Field.....Melrose street
Francis A. Westervelt.....117 Third avenue
Eliza J. Richards.....51 Suffolk street
Emily M. Rolfe.....396 Broome street
Primary...Elizabeth Stevens.....165 Eighth avenue
Amelia C. Noyes.....145 Laurens street
Helen Burdick.....Fitzroy place, Twenty-eighth street
Ann E. Kinch.....176 Thompson street

Public School No. 12.

Seventeenth street, near Eighth avenue.

TEACHERS.

Boys.....Asa Smith..12 Lamartine pl., 29th st. bet. 8th and 9th avenues
Cornelius Cooper.....110 Barrow street
L. B. Kolb.....Eighth avenue and Forty-seventh street
Sarah M. Ayers.....Wyckoff street, near Bond, Brooklyn
Martha Kent.....91 Horatio street
Girls.....Susan Wright.....91 Greenwich avenue, near Bank street
Catharine Berry.....71 West Eleventh street
Elvina Maintain.....Forty-seventh street, near Ninth avenue
Emma Davis....Charles street, between Greenwich and Hudson
Hannah Hays.....42 Renwick street
Primary...Adelaide Hawley.....46 Bank street
Elizabeth Marsden.....215 Twentieth street
Mary Devoe.....147 Seventeenth street
Otiska Pine.....147 Christopher street
Elizabeth Foggo.....94 Perry street

Public School No. 13.

371 Madison street, near Jackson.

TEACHERS.

Boys	John H. Fanning	126 Second street
	Robert I. Furney	41 Front street, Brooklyn
	Charles E. Tuthill	308 Madison street
	Joseph Welwood	396 Madison street
	Walter McFarland	—— ——
Girls	Ann M. Marsh	32 Navy street, Brooklyn
	Matilda Mosher	249 Second street
	Josephine White	80 Hester street
	Mary E. Marston	56 Suffolk street
Primary	Eliza Jarvis	30 First street
	Catharine M. Griffing	26 Rivington street
	Sarah L. Dean	159 Monroe street
	Emma C. Weeks	647 Water street
	Nancy Hoyt	—— ——
	Susan McCauley	—— ——

Public School No. 14.

298 Houston street, between Norfolk and Essex.

TEACHERS.

Boys	Leonard Hazeltine	127 East Twenty-first street
	E. V. Van Allen	—— ——
	John A. Graff	206 West Twenty-fourth street
	William G. Raywood	354 Madison street
Girls	Georgiana M. Watson	124 Third avenue
	Sarah C. Cortelyou	223 Ninth street
	Mary E. Crane	65 Delancey street
	Sarah J. DeGrove	—— ——
Primary	Urania Downs	51 Mangin street
	Mary L. Harris	60 Grove street
	Amanda Brinkerhoff	74 Eldridge street
	Emeline B. Graham	17 Attorney street
	Prudence Sill	Morrisania

Public School No. 15.

Twenty-seventh street, near Third avenue.

TEACHERS.

Boys	William H. Wood	8 Hammond street
	LaFayette Olney	97 West Twenty-seventh street
	Robert H. Pettigrew	Forty-sixth street, near Third avenue
	Louisa C. Burke	121 Third avenue
	Jane E. Fowler	143 East Twenty-sixth street
Girls	Caroline F. Whiting	64 Third avenue
	Mary J. Whiting	64 Third avenue
	Rachel C. Hazeltine	127 East Twenty-first street
	Mary Turner	55 East Twenty-seventh street
Primary	Frances N. Faulkner	22 Vandewater street
	Anna E. Whittemore	65 Fourth avenue
	Julia Lispenard,	99 Vandam street
	Jane E. Hunt	291 Sixth street
	Sarah E. Simonson	108 Avenue C

Public School No. 16.

289 Fifth street, between Avenues C and D.

TEACHERS.

Boys.....N. P. Beers.....215 East Broadway
James McCoy.....124 Second street, Williamsburgh
Isaac Marshall.....
Alexander Morehouse.....13 Bowery
Maria O'Connor.....41 Goerck street
Girls.....Sarah J. Hatfield.....108 Columbia street
Abby Harrison.....corner Greene and Amity streets
Martha Tappen.....172 Ludlow street
Mary Etter.....285 Broome street
Sarah McGee.....262 Fifth street
Mary J. Patten.....244 Seventh street
Primary...Mary E. Purdy.....South Fourth street, Williamsburgh
Sarah H. Keyes.....328 Third street
Mary T. Shepherd.....147 Rivington street
Harriet Foggin.....104 Avenue D

Public School No. 17.

Thirteenth street, near Seventh avenue.

TEACHERS.

Boys.....Marvin W. Fox.....Forty-second street, near Eighth avenue
John W. Boyce.....Fortieth street, near Seventh avenue
George T. Kelly.....Seventy-fifth street, Bloomingdale road
Joseph A. Hoyt.....86 West Nineteenth street
Girls.....Helen M. Mackenzie.....250 West Sixteenth street
F. E. A. Gutch.....332 Eighth avenue
Mary E. S. Hawley.....46 Bank street
Ellen W. Young.....84 Eighth avenue
Primary...Phebe A. Moir.....77 West Eleventh street
Elizabeth Matthews.....13 Amos street
Mary E. Pettengell.....64 West Washington place
Clara Whittemore.....104 Bedford street

Public School No. 18.

Forty-seventh street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

TEACHERS.

Boys.....William T. Graff...Eighth avenue, corner of Fifty-second street
James Montieth, Thirty-first street, bet. Eighth and Ninth ave.
Lydia Nelson.....
William R. Morse.....1084 Broadway
William A. Davis.....Forty-fourth street, Fifth avenue
Girls.....Amelia Kiersted.....529 Broadway, corner of Spring street
Ellen Hoyt.....86 West Nineteenth street
Mary Jane Kolb.....Eighth avenue and Forty-seventh street
Euphemia Frederick.....Fortieth street, near Seventh avenue
Primary...Caroline C. Cowan, Forty-third street, Seventh and Eighth ave.
Frances Kenyon....15 Hudson place, West Thirty-fourth street
Ann Winterson.....Forty-fourth street, near Eighth avenue
Catharine Jollie.....403 Ninth avenue
Rosina Hartman.....459 Ninth avenue

Public School No. 1.--Colored.

135 Mulberry, between Grand and Hester streets.

TEACHERS.

Boys	John Peterson	7 York street
	William T. Dixon	117 Elizabeth street
	Peter L. Ewell	56 Third street
Girls	Caroline Roe	155 Thompson street
	Maria Gosiah	271 Mott street
	Mary A. Griffin	211 Sullivan street

Public School No. 2.--Colored.

51 Laurens street, near Broome.

TEACHERS.

Boys	Ransom F. Wake	99 Thompson street
	John J. Zuille	48 Watts street
Girls	Fanny Tompkins	180 Church street
	Caroline Hamilton	59 Chatham street
	Nancy Thompson	91 Varick street
Primary	Sarah Ennals	205 Church street
	Clorine Spencer	170 Elm street
	Catharine Harley	6 City Hall place

PUBLIC PRIMARY SCHOOLS,

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Primary School No. 1.

85 Orchard street, near Broome, basement of Universalist church.

Section No. 7.

TEACHERS.

Louisa Drew	408 Grand street, corner Clinton
Mary E. Allen	24 Oliver street
Caroline E. Wakefield	320 Fifth street
Sarah E. Ingraham	118 Columbia street

Primary School No. 2.

Bayard street, near Orange.

Section No. 1.

TEACHERS.

Anna E. Sandford	195 Grand street
Mary J. Ellick	11 Rutgers street
Maria Devoe	——— ———
Rebecca Bamman	——— ———

Primary School No. 3.

100 Cannon street, near Stanton.

Section No. 16.

TEACHERS.

Rebecca W. Jarvis.....30 First street
Lavinia Monell.....2 First avenue

Primary School No. 4.

Basement of the church in Chrystie street, near Delancey.

Section No. 5.

TEACHERS.

Anna Marsten.....8 First street
C. S. Whitlock.....1 Hanover place, Brooklyn
Phebe E. Kinnersley.....388 Bowery
Anna M. Hazard.....20 Henry street

Primary School No. 5.

401 Cherry street, near Scammel.

Section No. 13.

TEACHERS.

Esther A. Withers.....144 Delancey street
Sarah Baxter.....18 Columbia street

Primary School No. 6.

Suffolk street, near Delancey, basement of church.

Section No. 2.

TEACHERS.

Eliza J. Ficke.....456 Grand street
Phebe E. Mayhew.....60 Suffolk street
Judith Laing.....27 Hester street

Primary School No. 7.

321 Sixth street, between Avenues B and C, under the Baptist church.

Section No. 16.

TEACHERS.

Kate E. Ringwood.....85 Third street
Sarah J. Hatfield.....52 Avenue D
Sarah E. Littell.....595 Fourth street
Mary L. Willis.....385 Eighth street

Primary School No. 8.

23 King street, near Macdougal, basement of the Dutch Reformed church.

Section No. 3.

TEACHERS.

H. A. McCormick.....56 King street
Caroline Sayre.....61 Fourth street
Emily Scudder.....21 Perry street
Elizabeth Pope.....8 Newark street, Hoboken

Primary School No. 9.

Bleecker street, corner of Amos, basement of the Reformed Dutch church.

Section No. 3

TEACHERS.

C. A. Taft.....49 King street
Mary J. Stephenson.....129 Barrow street
Henrietta Mushback.....Hoboken
Margaret Fosdick.....16 Factory street

Primary School No. 10.

174 Amos street, near Washington.

Section No. 3.

TEACHERS.

Elizabeth E. Mead.....151 Charlest street
Helen C. Scott.....749 Washington street
Anna L. Simms.....139 Amos street
Mary A. Britton.....112 Barrow street

Primary School No. 11.

Basement of church in Pearl street, near Elm.

Section No. 1.

TEACHERS.

Annie M. Disbrow.....Mercer street, one door above Fourth
L. P. Ladd.....123 Henry street
Julia M. Harden.....86 Orchard street

Primary School No. 12.

Broome street, corner of Ridge, basement of Presbyterian church.

Section No. 13.

TEACHERS.

Mary Hatfield.....227 Rivington street
Catharine Starr.....330 Fourth street
Harriet Simonson.....108 Avenue C.

Primary School No. 13.

105 Bayard street, near Orange street.

Section No. 1.

TEACHERS.

Mary Allison.....150 Walker street
Anna Mahony.....30 Ann street
Lucy McDaniels.....Orange street
Jemima Petrie.....451 Broadway

Primary School No. 14.

56 Chrystie street, rear of Public School No. 7.

Section No. 7.

TEACHERS.

Paulina V. Pinkney.....1 Market street
Mary E. Ewen.....71 Eldridge street
Mary L. Dyer.....510 Greenwich street

Primary School No. 15.

40 Stanton street, near Chrystie, basement of the Baptist church.

TEACHERS.

Section No. 5.

Margaret H. Braden.....139 Waverley place
Catharine T. Clark.....3 First avenue
Ann A. Scofield.....—— ——

Primary School No. 16.

Suspended.

Primary School No. 17.

Trustees' Hall, corner Grand and Elm streets.

Section No 5.

TEACHERS.

Mary Oliver.....191 Fulton street
Juliet Harris.....60 Grove street

Primary School No. 18.

Cannon street, near Broome, Baptist church.

Section No. 13.

TEACHERS.

Catharine H. Myers.....39 Fifth street
Margaretta L. Marston.....26 Suffolk street
Lydia A. Smith.....67 Pitt street
Mary Jane Rose.....39 Columbia street

Primary School No. 19.

Greenwich street, between Watts and Desbrosses streets.

Section No. 8.

TEACHERS.

Louisa Van Nostrand.....3 Greene street
Maria Ayres.....22 Clarkson street
Annie Robinson.....558 Broome street
Eliza Dyer.....510 Greenwich street

Primary School No. 20.

401 Cherry street.

Section No. 13.

TEACHERS.

L. H. Thomas.....55 Fifth street
Anna M. Peacock.....140 Sullivan street

Primary School No. 21.

Twentieth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

Section No. 12.

TEACHERS.

Olley Pack.....307 Third avenue
Louisa M. Geer.....677 Washington street
E. Kane.....—— ——

Primary School No. 22.

Corner of Fourth street and Avenue C.

Section No. 16.

TEACHERS.

Isabella Patterson.....73 Avenue D
Sarah C. Leaper.....140 Amos street
Harriet J. Van Brunt.....603 Fourth street

Primary School No. 23.

Basement of Public School No. 4, Rivington street, near Ridge.

Section No. 4.

TEACHERS.

M. E. Purdy.....
Charity A. Dusinberry.....134 Grand street
Henrietta Mosher.....249 Second street
Mary Miller.....262 Ninth street
Sarah E. Bertine.....

Primary School No. 24.

Corner Bleecker and Downing streets, basement Third Universalist church.

Section No. 3.

TEACHERS.

Margaret Cleland.....161 Greene street
Eliza A. Hannan.....34 Thompson street
Josephine Bailey.....14 Bedford street
Rebecca George.....81 Bedford street

Primary School No. 25.

61 Thompson street, lower floor.

Section No. 8.

TEACHERS.

Mary J. Rowland.....27 Mercer street
Sarah Van Nostrand.....3 Greene street
Caroline Powers.....150 Sullivan street

Primary School No. 25.

61 Thompson street, upper floor.

Section No. 8.

TEACHERS.

Ellen P. Sminck.....67 Greene street
Christian L. Dugan.....9 King street
Eliza Veitch.....98 Thompson street

Primary School No. 27.

Seventeenth street, near Seventh avenue.

Section No. 12.

TEACHERS.

Lucy J. Whitney.....80 Bedford street
H. Ferguson.....
Mary Hopper.....
Rachael Knox.....12 Hammond street

Primary School No. 28.

Same as No. 27.

Section No. 12.

TEACHERS.

Lucretia E. McGuire.....86 West Sixteenth street
Mary S. McKenzie.....250 West Sixteenth street
Elizabeth Norris..... ——— ———

Primary School No. 29.

174 Amos street, near Washington.

Section No. 3.

TEACHERS.

Catharine Conolly.....126 Perry street
Virginia Oakley.....4 Twelfth street
Josephine D. Wainwright.....313 Spring street
Emily E. Pell.....35 Clarkson street

Primary School No. 30.

114 White street.

Section No. 10.

TEACHERS.

Eliza Gwynne.....114 Greenwich avenue
Maria Christman.....31 Bowery
Isabella Veitch.....98 Thompson street
Mary Cushing.....200 Hester street

Primary School No. 31.

3 Stone street.

Section No. 10.

TEACHERS.

P. A. Scott.....79 Rivington street
Eliza M. Dyke.....71 Mott street
Georgiana Finley..... ——— ———

Primary School No. 32.

Same as No. 31.

Section No. 10.

TEACHERS.

Marian Yates.....150 Eldridge street
Jane L. Sanxey.....Sackett street, Brooklyn
Rosanna Poyntz.....193 Grand street
Morgiana Farrell.....33 Watts street

Primary School No. 33.

175 Barrow street, near Greenwich.

Section No. 3.

TEACHERS.

E. Warren.....38 Commerce street
Harriet Hawley.....46 Bank street
Ellen Cunningham.....96 Sixteenth street

Primary School No. 34.

Same as No. 33.

Section No. 3.

TEACHERS.

Jane A. A. Ebbets.....163 Elm street
Alvira S. Beach.....347 Spring street
Elizabeth B. Warren.....223 Varick street

Primary School No. 35.

Twenty-fifth street, between Madison street and Fourth avenue.

Section No. 15.

TEACHER.

E. Chrystie.....Thirty-fifth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues

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Primary School No. 36.

Forty-third street, corner of Eighth avenue.

Section No. 18.

TEACHERS.

Emeline J. Trott.....191 West Twenty-fourth street
A. McCartney.....Fiftieth street, near Eighth avenue
Jane A. Pullis.....Thirty-first street, near Seventh avenue

Primary School No. 37.

457 Greenwich street.

Section No. 8.

TEACHERS.

Charlotte C. Wray.....117 Perry street
Caroline Jollie.....100 Charlton street
Emily A. Estling.....575 Broadway
Mary H. Beach.....347 Spring street
Jane Summerson.....

Primary School No. 38.

Factory street, near Bank and Hammond streets.

Section No. 17.

TEACHERS.

Maria L. Roome.....120 Perry street
Jane Walker.....125 Christopher street
E. A. Harriott.....809 Washington street

Primary School No. 39.

Factory street, near Bank and Hammond streets.

Section No. 17.

TEACHERS.

C. A. M'Mann.....71 Third avenue
M. J, Mead.....151 Charles street
Maria F. Peirce.....549 Eighth avenue

Primary School No. 40.
Rear of Public School No. 7.
Section No. 7.

TEACHERS.

Cornelia L. Degraw.....295 Division street
Ellenora Fosdick.....175 Orchard street
Rachel Glover.....189 Forsyth street

Primary School No. 41.
233 Eighteenth street, near Ninth avenue.
Section No. 12.

TEACHERS.

C. F. R. Crowell.....149 Charles street
Frances M. Finch.....171 West Twentieth street
J. Needham.....60 Willet street
E. Webb.....426 Sixth avenue

Primary School No. 42.
Rear of 147 Clinton street.
Section No. 13.

TEACHERS.

Mary Knight.....148 Clinton street
Frances H. Concklin.....275 Rivington street

Primary School No. 43.
Rear of 140 Clinton street.
Section No. 13.

TEACHERS.

Ernestine F. Moll.....189 Division street
Mary T. Holbrook.....556½ Grand street

Primary School No. 44.
100 Cannon street, near Stanton.
Section No. 16.

TEACHERS.

Abby M. H. Burton.....633 Fourth street
Mary M. Smith.....113 Lewis street

Primary School No. 45.
Corner Rivington and Goerck streets.
Section No. 4.

TEACHERS.

Emily S. Watts.....I street, Green Point
Mary S. Foggin.....104 Avenue D

Primary School No. 46.
Corner Rivington and Goerck streets.
Section No. 4.

TEACHERS.

Anna M. Orr.....286 Third street
Sarah A. Fowler.....

Primary School No. 47.

Trustees' Hall.

Section No. 5.

TEACHERS.

M. E. Savage.....146 East Twenty-fifth street
Clarissa A. Root.....21 Second street

Primary School No. 48.

Houston street, between Eldridge and Forsyth streets.

Section No. 14.

TEACHERS.

Sarah Ann Young.....227 Henry street
Cornelia Bedell.....88 Fifth street
Mary A. Marsten.....348 Houston street

Primary School No. 49.

18 Eleventh street, between Third and Fourth avenues.

Section No. 5.

TEACHERS.

Maria Augusta Wallis.....186 Mulberry street
Margaret Chirney.....134 Eighth street

Primary School No. 50.

18 Eleventh street, between Third and Fourth avenues.

Section No. 5.

TEACHERS.

Louisa M. Marsh.....80 Fourth avenue
Rosalie Weidner.....28 Fifth street

Primary School No. 51.

233 Eighteenth street.

Section No. 12.

TEACHERS.

Gertrude E. Jackson.....213 Varick street
Mary E. Mead.....205 Seventh avenue
Margaret G. White.....33 Gansevoort street
Julia Hostin.....77 West Eleventh street

Primary School No. 52.

Horatio street, near Eighth avenue.

Section No. 17.

TEACHERS.

M. Waterbury.....38 Perry street
C. Minturn.....123 Christopher street
M. E. Clark.....Troy street

Primary School No. 53.

545 Greenwich street.

Section No. 8.

TEACHERS.

M. J. Downs.....105 Fourth street
A. E. Brower.....480 Greenwich street
Sarah Smith..... 10 Downing street

Primary School No. 54.

545 Greenwich street.

Section No. 8.

TEACHERS.

Cecilia J. King.....90 Amity street
Catharine Cassidy.....23 Renwick street
Ellen Smith.....10 Downing street
Martha Oliver.....27 Dominick street

Primary School No. 55.

Twenty-fifth street, between Madison and Fourth avenues.

Section No. 15.

TEACHERS.

Elizabeth Christie...Thirty-fifth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues
Charlotte P. Brown.....45 Third avenue

PUBLIC PRIMARY SCHOOLS.—COLORED.

Colored Primary School No. 3.

Fifteenth street, near Seventh avenue.

Section No. 12.

TEACHERS.

Jane E. Percy.....166 Eighth avenue
Charlotte Smith..... 154 Sullivan street

Colored Primary School No. 4.

Rear of German church in Second street, near Avenue C.

Section No. 1.

TEACHERS.

Mary E. Robbins.....104 Columbia street
Lucretia Treadwell.....10 Jersey street

Colored Primary School No. 6.

In the rear of the German church, Second street.

Section No. 1.

TEACHERS.

George H. Green.....164 North Sixth street, Williamsburgh
Alfred J. Ewell.....50 Third street

TIMES OF STATED MEETINGS.

1851. JUNE	4th. Primary School Committee. 5th. School Sections. 5th. Executive Committee.
JULY	2d. Primary School Committee. 3d. School Sections. 3d. Executive Committee. 4th. Board of Trustees. 31st. School Sections.
AUGUST	6th. Primary School Committee. 7th. Executive Committee.
SEPTEMBER	3d. Primary School Committee. 4th. School Sections. 4th. Executive Committee.
OCTOBER	1st. Primary School Committee. 2d. School Sections. 2d. Executive Committee. 3d. Board of Trustees.
NOVEMBER	5th. Primary School Committee. 6th. School Sections. 6th. Executive Committee.
DECEMBER	3d. Primary School Committtee. 4th. School Sections. 4th. Executive Committee. 31st. Primary School Committee. 31st. School Sections.
1852. JANUARY	1st. Executive Committee. 2d. Board of Trustees. 12th. Annual Election.
FEBRUARY	4th. Primary School Sections. 5th. School Sections. 5th. Executive Committee.
MARCH	3d. Primary School Committee. 4th. School Sections. 4th. Executive Committee. 31st. Primary School Committee.
APRIL	1st. School Sections. 1st. Executive Committee. 2d. Board of Trustees.
MAY	5th. Primary School Committee. 6th. School Sections. 6th. Executive Committee.
JUNE	2d. Primary School Committee. 3d. School Sections. 3d. Executive Committee.

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Fort Washington.

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TEACHER.

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Sixth avenue, between Tenth and Eleventh streets.

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Foot of Twenty-third street.

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Boys.....P. A. Spencer, Girls....Miss Jane Cary, *Principal,*
Wm. R. Genung, Julia O'Brien, *Assistant.*
Wm. C. Sampson.

All the teachers reside on the premises.

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CITY INSPECTOR'S REPORT.

1849.

THE whole number of deaths reported to the City Inspector's Office, for the year 1849, were 23,793, including the still-born and premature births, which together amount to 1168; which with deaths from casualties, drowning, &c., amounting to 298; and those brought from other parts to this city for interment, the number of which is 80; leaves the actual mortality in the city by disease, 22,227, of whom 5161 died with cholera—being an increase over the last year's report of 7624.

The number of deaths reported in each month was as follows:

JANUARY.

Men		279
Women	276	555
Boys		452
Girls	325	777
		1332

FEBRUARY.

Men		280
Women	287	567
Boys		408
Girls	366	774
		1341

MARCH.

Men		289
Women	281	570
Boys		461
Girls	374	835
		1405

APRIL.

Men		317
Women	319	636
Boys		395
Girls	412	807
		1443

MAY.

Men		298
Women	291	589
Boys		441
Girls	362	803
		1392

JUNE.

Men		695
Women	572	1267
Boys		604
Girls	435	1039
		2306

JULY.

Men		1541
Women	1508	3049
Boys		1224
Girls	1023	2247
		5296

AUGUST.

Men		1028
Women	1087	2115
Boys		998
Girls	882	1880
		3995

SEPTEMBER.

Men		389
Women	440	829
Boys		505
Girls	451	956
		1785

OCTOBER.

Men		284
Women	249	533
Boys		437
Girls	307	744
		1272

NOVEMBER.

Men		225
Women	249	474
Boys		284
Girls	234	518
		992

DECEMBER.

Men		306
Women	255	561
Boys		325
Girls	323	648
		1209

Of that number 4,452 were of the age of one year and under.

	2,368	from	1	to	2 years.
	2,237	"	2	"	5 "
	1,120	"	5	"	10 "
	1,074	"	10	"	20 "
	2,910	"	20	"	30 "
	3,031	"	30	"	40 "
	2,169	"	40	"	50 "
	1,241	"	50	"	60 "
	918	"	60	"	70 "
	495	"	70	"	80 "
	226	"	80	"	90 "
	43	"	90	"	100 "
Males.....12,469	7	"	100 and upwards.		
Females....11,304	314	unknown.			
23,773	23,773				

PRINCIPAL CAUSES OF DEATH.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	Jan'y	Feb'y	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	TOTAL
Apoplexy	28	41	31	37	37	69	89	79	53	29	32	37	562
Bronchitis	18	15	17	18	15	12	7	9	7	10	17	16	159
Consumption	187	142	212	216	179	175	198	178	161	163	133	157	2101
Cholera	...	...	...	...	35	875	2615	1452	161	16	7	...	5161
Cholera Infantum	6	...	3	2	2	62	357	143	106	20	5	4	710
Convulsions	112	112	107	100	82	122	238	180	104	88	71	108	1424
Croup	39	32	33	46	17	14	8	6	16	19	27	35	292
Casualties	10	8	7	4	11	12	15	21	10	17	12	25	152
Dysentery	28	21	29	32	21	54	256	326	267	135	49	38	1256
Diarrhœa	27	26	28	24	23	52	228	228	83	29	17	15	780
Debility	37	38	28	41	36	33	8	63	42	36	15	29	484
Disease of the Heart	18	16	26	23	22	22	22	22	17	13	20	21	242
Delirium Tremens	6	4	9	9	8	19	13	17	10	7	6	2	110
Dropsy	18	35	23	35	19	20	32	20	18	18	19	27	284
" Bowels & Ch'st	10	5	8	10	...	3	4	6	5	2	6	7	66
" in Head	48	47	57	70	47	65	87	108	62	49	31	52	723
Drowned	1	5	10	13	23	22	13	18	13	13	11	4	146
Erysipelas	20	21	17	21	14	10	16	9	6	5	7	9	155
Fevers type not nam.	8	13	...	10	12	13	22	30	12	10	10	5	135
Remittent	8	8	7	7	3	10	6	9	10	11	6	5	00
Typhoid	7	30	29	26	11	14	18	24	5	9	7	7	187
Typhus	34	33	30	50	47	40	39	33	38	28	29	14	415
Scarlet	19	36	39	46	39	19	8	9	7	12	13	19	266
Marasmus	31	59	44	34	45	55	129	124	102	66	36	49	774
Measles	19	14	28	17	11	8	16	4	1	1	3	3	125
Old Age	15	12	23	13	21	20	43	16	8	19	13	21	224
Pheomonia	121	122	106	99	88	52	42	32	39	60	59	106	926
Palsy	12	7	4	7	11	11	15	8	1	11	7	10	104
Inflam. of Stomach	12	9	10	12	13	16	21	20	10	11	12	10	156
" of Bowels, &c	30	37	46	44	43	45	63	62	51	43	25	42	531
" of Brain	27	20	21	23	26	48	55	43	31	19	23	30	366

Places of Nativity.

United States	15,178	Prussia	18
Ireland	5,769	Russia	9
England	578	British America	54
Scotland	239	West Indies	37
Wales	39	South America	3
Germany	1,565	Africa	6
France	96	Portugal	5
Holland	30	Poland	8
Denmark	13	Belgium	2
Sweden	15	Norway	5
Switzerland	18	Unknown	214
Spain	3		
Italy	15	Total	23,773

Number of Deaths at various Institutions.

Bellevue Hospital	545	Colored Orphan Asylum	16
Penitentiary Hospital, B. Island	261	Ward's Island	965
Small Pox Hospital, "	28	Randall's Island	198
Alms House, "	349	Centre street Hospital	297
Lunatic Asylum, "	196	William street Hospital	408
Bloomingdale Asylum	7	Thirteenth street Hospital	139
City Hospital	322	Stanton street Hospital	112
City Prison	16	Thirty-fifth street Hospital	65
House of Refuge	8		
Colored Home	126	Total	4,058

The last five named were Temporary Hospitals, established by the Board of Health, for the reception of Cholera patients.

Places of Interment.

African	268	Methodist	2,017
Baptist	228	Presbyterian	1,365
*Roman Catholic	7,552	Episcopal	519
Dutch Reformed	353	Potter's Field	5,602
Friends	57	Leake & Watts	2
German Lutheran	631	Removed from the City	4,760
Hebrew	254		
Marble Cemeteries	165	Total	23,763

*Of this number, 7,349 were interred in Williamsburgh.

1850.

The whole number of deaths reported to this Department during the year 1850 was 16,978; which number includes the still-born and those who died from malformation and old age, together with the premature births, amounting together to 1,533; deducting these, and also the number brought from other places to this city for interment, 68; making together 1,601, we have the number of deaths which actually occurred from disease, casualties, &c.,

15,377. If a further deduction be made of the number of casualties, such as drowning, &c., with suicides and murders, amounting in all to 648, the remainder will show the total number of deaths from *disease* alone to have been 14,729.

Of the whole number of deaths reported there were whites..16,529
" " " " " blacks.. 449
——16,978

The number of *male* adults was..... 3,364
" " " children..... 5,794
—— 9,158

" " *female* adults was..... 3,047
" " " children..... 5.794
—— 7,820

Total number of adults..... 6,411
" " children..... 10,567

The number of deaths reported in each month was as follows:—

JANUARY.
Men 303
Women .....257—560
Boys.....399
Girls.....390—789
——1,349

FEBRUARY.
Men.....304
Women .....265—569
Boys 401
Girls.....337—738
——1,307

MARCH.
Men.....289
Women .....263—532
Boys 428
Girls.....366—794
——1,326

APRIL.
Men.....268
Women.....272—540
Boys.....483
Girls.....283—667
——1,207

MAY.
Men.....286
Women .....246—532
Boys 330
Girls.....310—640
——1,172

JUNE.
Men.....246
Women .....209—455
Boys.....395
Girls.....295—690
——1,145

JULY.
Men..... 283
Women ..... 250—533
Boys 701
Girls..... 578–1279
——1,812

AUGUST.
Men..... 305
Women..... 268—573
Boys..... 783
Girls..... 693–1476
——2,049

SEPTEMBER.
Men..... 279
Women ..... 233—512
Boys..... 551
Girls..... 398—949
——1,461

OCTOBER.
Men.....303
Women .....271—574
Boys 413
Girls.....334—747
——1,321

NOVEMBER.
Men.....278
Women .....226—504
Boys.....446
Girls.....352—798
——1,302

DECEMBER.
Men 240
Women .....287—527
Boys 563
Girls.....437–1000
——1,527

Of that number	4,279	were of the age of one year and under.			
	2,135	from	1	to 2	years.
	1,638	"	2	to 5	"
	700	"	5	to 10	"
	628	"	10	to 20	"
	1,771	"	20	to 30	"
	1,605	"	30	to 40	"
	1,098	"	40	to 50	"
	749	"	50	to 60	"
	541	"	60	to 70	"
	303	"	70	to 80	"
	183	"	80	to 90	"
	18	"	90	to 100	"
Males.....9,158	6	"	100 and upwards.		
Females....7,820	168	unknown.			
Total 16,978	16,978				

Number of Still-born Children, as obtained from the certificates during the year.

MONTHS.	Males.	Females.	Total.
January	49	45	94
February	56	45	101
March	57	52	109
April	58	36	94
May	45	47	92
June	61	32	93
July	64	40	104
August	64	38	102
September	42	29	71
October	49	43	92
November	69	35	104
December	61	35	96
Total	675	477	1,152

Places of Nativity.

United States	11,715	Denmark	8
Ireland	3,382	Russia	8
Germany	812	Poland	2
England	440	Africa	3
Scotland	147	Norway	7
France	80	Portugal	2
British America	48	South America	2
Wales	22	Spain	4
West Indies	25	Belgium	3
Holland	18	Austria	1
Prussia	3	Sandwich Islands	1
Switzerland	15	Unknown	203
Italy	19		
Sweden	8	Total	16,978

Number of Deaths at various Public Institutions.

Ward's Island, (Em'gt Hospital)	892	City Prison	7
Bellevue Hospital	49	Children's Hospital, Rand. Isl	113
Alms House, Blackwell's Island	162	Colored Home	92
Penitentiary Hosp. " "	8	Colored Orphan Asylum	6
Small Pox " " "	4	Bloomingdale "	12
Lunatic Asylum " "	55		
City Hospital	392	Total	2,358

Places of Interment, and the number deposited in each.

Roman Catholic Cemeteries	5,925	Hebrew Cemetery	176
Potter's Field	3,02	Baptist "	162
Methodist Cemetery	1,471	Marble Cemeteries	117
Presbyterian "	764	Friends	19
German Lutheran Cemetery	433	Removed from the city	4,134
Episcopal "	347		
Dutch Reformed "	199	Total	16,978
African "	203		

The number brought into the city from other places for interment was 68.

Table, showing the number of deaths annually, (as far back as returns can be obtained,) and the ratio.

Years.	Deaths from disease and accidents.	Population.	Ratio of deaths to population.	Years.	Deaths from disease and accidents.	Population.	Ratio of deaths to population.
1805	2,297	75,770	1 to 32.98*	1828	4,843		
1806	2,174			1829	4,734		
1807	2,236			1830	5,198	202,589	1 to 38.97
1808	1,950			1831	5,991		
1809	2,038			1832	9,975‡		
1810	2,073	96,373	1 to 46.49†	1833	5,354		
1811	2,431			1834	8,590‡		
1812	2,472			1835	6,608	270,089	1 to 40.87
1813	2,207			1836	7,503		
1814	1,881			1837	8,182		
1815	2,405	100,619	1 to 41.83	1838	7,503		
1816	2,651			1839	7,314		
1817	2,409			1840	7,868	312,710	1 to 39.74
1818	3,106			1841	8,531		
1819	3,008			1842	8,503		
1820	3,326	123,706	1 to 37.19	1843	7,933		
1821	3,368			1844	8,127		
1822	3,026			1845	9,886	371,223	1 to 37.55
1823	3,221			1846	10,079		
1824	4,091			1847	14,441§		
1825	4,774	166,086	1 to 34.78	1848	14,553		
1826	4,671			1849	22,373‡		
1827	4,890			1850	15,377	515,394	1 to 33.52

* Highest ratio. † Lowest ratio. ‡ Cholera. § Typhus.

NUMBER OF DEATHS, FROM VARIOUS DISEASES, IN EACH MONTH.

1850.

CAUSE OF DEATH.	Jan.	Feb	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
Abscess	13	4	4	9	3	5	2	3	6	3	2	4	58
" Abdominal	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
" of Kidneys	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1
" of Liver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	3
" of Lungs	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
Aneurism	...	2	3	2	2	3	...	2	...	...	1	1	16
Angina	4	2	5	5	1	1	1	...	1	1	4	2	27
Apoplexy	40	45	44	45	38	43	71	68	41	43	43	51	572
Asphyxia	1	1	...	2	1	...	1	4	1	2	2	1	16
Asthma	2	3	2	1	5	2	2	1	1	2	3	4	28
Atrophia	6	4	3	...	2	5	7	19	8	9	7	6	76
Bleeding	7	5	4	8	5	4	3	7	6	2	4	7	62
" from Lungs	5	4	3	2	4	4	3	3	5	1	3	2	39
" from Stomach	2	...	1	...	1	...	1	3	1	3	4	1	17
" from Womb	...	4	1	...	...	1	3	2	3	3	1	1	19
Burned or Scalded	6	12	9	8	5	2	9	3	2	9	10	10	85
Bronchitis	18	13	12	15	11	6	6	7	3	12	6	23	132
Cachexia	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
Cancer	2	5	2	10	5	5	7	3	...	3	7	5	54
" of Breast	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	4	...	1	6
" of Rectum	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
" of Stomach	...	...	..	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	3
" of Tongue	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
" of Womb	2	1	1	1	1	2	3	2	2	1	1	1	18
Cancrum Oris	7	4	2	5	...	1	3	...	3	...	...	1	26
Catarrh	1	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	6
Carbuncle	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1
Caries	...	2	...	...	...	1	1	1	7	1	...	1	14
Casualties	11	*58	11	17	22	18	14	17	17	10	10	13	218
Chicken Pox	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Cholera	1	45	3	...	...	2	6	...	...	...	...	...	57
" Infantum	3	8	6	10	3	24	218	303	106	19	9	4	713
" Morbus	1	2	3	...	2	1	17	8	8	1	1	...	44
Clorosis	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	..	...	...	...	...	1
Colic	3	3	4	2	3	2	3	2	3	...	2	1	28
Consumption	203	140	166	161	156	128	139	162	160	166	170	172	1922
Convulsions	103	88	107	86	90	84	169	158	99	99	101	94	1288
Coup de Soliel	...	...	...	...	...	4	1	15	...	...	...	...	20
Contusion of the Brain	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Croup	31	30	34	26	34	22	8	22	11	37	38	63	356

* The Hague street accident, (the bursting of a steam boiler,) occurred during this month, (February,) by which 47 persons were killed.

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Congestion	3	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	3	2	1	13
" of Lungs	18	11	21	20	19	15	20	13	8	20	21	16	202
Constipation	2	...	2	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	2	...	9
Cyanosis	3	3	2	3	3	3	6	6	9	2	2	1	43
Debility	27	21	21	27	30	29	42	34	31	30	25	26	343
Delirium Tremens	5	4	3	8	9	8	8	7	7	11	4	6	80
Diabetes	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	5
Diarrhœa	31	16	24	15	18	9	88	113	66	30	31	32	473
Disease of Bone	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
" of Knee Joint	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	3
Drinking Cold Water	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Dropsy	24	19	23	32	21	14	26	17	22	26	18	19	261
" in the Chest	5	6	6	5	9	8	11	5	8	4	6	4	77
" in the Head	52	45	64	59	63	61	96	85	46	41	48	49	709
" of Heart	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Drowned	4	11	2	7	15	29	36	19	20	13	9	8	173
Dysentery	22	41	19	21	20	30	136	198	121	92	54	38	792
Dyspepsia	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	3
Epilepsy	3	3	4	1	3	4	2	3	1	3	1	...	28
Erysipelas	7	11	14	19	24	18	15	10	11	8	12	23	172
Eruption	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	3
Exposure	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	...	...	...	7
Fistula	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	3
Fracture	2	...	1	1	...	5	...	5	...	...	2	...	16
" of Leg	...	3	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	4	...	...	9
" of Neck	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
" of Scull	...	1	...	2	...	3	...	...	3	5	...	1	15
" of Spine	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	4
" of Thigh	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	2
Fever	13	8	6	4	7	6	5	12	12	2	12	9	96
" Bilious	2	3	1	2	3	...	2	5	7	4	7	2	38
" Congestive	1	1	4	1	2	2	1	5	2	5	1	5	30
" Hectic	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	3
" Inflammatory	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	6
" Intermittent	2	1	...	2	...	...	...	1	3	2	1	...	12
" Nervous	4	3	3	2	...	1	1	2	7	4	6	3	36
" Puerperal	12	13	16	28	10	11	13	11	12	10	9	7	152
" Remittent	4	1	2	5	3	8	2	5	9	13	4	4	60
" Scarlet	36	31	43	23	15	19	12	16	13	21	26	56	311
" Spotted	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
" Typhoid	8	8	5	8	7	6	1	5	3	9	8	8	76
" Typhus	35	54	55	30	32	21	16	13	36	38	31	35	396
Gout	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	2
Heart, Disease of	17	25	20	19	25	24	19	19	17	22	24	32	263
Hip, " "	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2
Hooping Cough	20	16	15	6	11	13	16	33	15	12	10	13	180
Inanition	2	...	...	...	1	2	1	3	3	1	2	...	15
Influenza	1	...	2	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	6
Inflammation	9	5	3	4	2	2	8	3	4	...	1	2	43
" of Bladder	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	3	8
" of Brain	34	23	26	36	21	24	49	29	23	15	21	34	335

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Inflammat'n of Bowels.	41	29	37	33	22	24	52	53	39	37	31	35	433
" of Chest..	5	6	2	2	3	3	7	4	2	...	5	2	41
" of Heart..	2	2	1	2	1	1	1	5	3	2	...	1	21
" of Joints..	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
" of Kidneys	2	2	1	...	1	3	5	...	2	1	...	3	20
" of Liver..	14	7	14	6	9	10	9	10	6	12	4	11	112
" of Lungs..	105	91	119	89	75	57	36	40	48	58	79	127	924
" of Stomach	8	11	14	14	9	9	10	18	11	15	6	12	137
" of Throat.	2	7	6	2	6	1	...	1	...	4	4	8	41
" of Womb.	...	2	1	3	3	3	1	1	1	3	...	1	19
Intussuscept'n of Intes.	...	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
Insanity	1	...	...	1	...	1	2	...	2	...	2	...	9
Intemperance	6	7	3	3	3	...	...	4	...	2	1	2	31
Jaundice	3	..	3	4	3	1	...	2	...	3	2	...	21
Killed or Murdered...	1	2	1	2	1	1	5	1	...	1	1	3	19
Lues Venerea	2	2	2	...	2	2	1	1	4	3	3	4	26
Malformation	1	1	3	3	3	1	2	2	4	2	1	5	28
Marasmus	45	45	42	37	35	53	88	129	108	70	46	48	746
Measles	25	15	10	6	20	19	26	42	18	20	43	80	324
Mortification	3	6	3	6	1	8	7	3	4	5	4	2	52
" of Foot..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Mumps	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Menses, Retention of.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Neuralgia	...	1	2	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	6
Old Age	13	12	16	15	15	17	19	15	8	12	17	11	170
Palsy	5	8	8	9	12	4	4	6	15	10	10	9	100
Phlebitis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	2
Pleurisy	6	3	3	3	2	...	2	4	2	...	1	4	30
Polypus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Poison	2	1	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	2	1	5	15
Premature Birth	16	13	11	10	15	19	13	17	20	14	15	20	183
Purpera	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
Rheumatism	3	1	...	2	3	3	1	2	...	1	1	4	21
Rupture	2	2	...	...	2	1	1	3	1	1	...	2	15
" of Bladder...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
" of Heart.....	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
" of Womb....	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	1	5
Scrofula	7	7	7	4	3	5	9	3	6	3	7	8	69
Small Pox	18	13	19	10	11	15	11	14	11	14	35	60	231
Spinal Disease	1	...	2	2	3	...	...	...	2	1	2	...	13
Sprue	1	1	2	1	1	4	6	9	4	1	...	4	34
Still-born	94	101	109	94	92	93	104	102	71	92	104	96	1152
Suicide	2	1	2	...	5	1	4	2	2	1	4	7	31
Stone	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1
Stricture	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	2
" of Diaphragm	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1
Suffocation	3	1	...	...	2	...	1	1	...	1	1	3	13
Strangulation	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
Scurvey	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Schirrus	...	1	...	1	2	1	2	...	1	2	2	...	12
Teething	3	5	7	13	10	5	16	27	13	17	5	7	128

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Tetanus	..	1	3	1	1	1	3	4	4	3	2	3	26
Tumor	...	1	1	3	2	3	1	...	...	..	1	2	14
Ulcers	...	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	. .	1	8
Ulceration of Brain	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
" of Intestines	1	...	...	...	3	1	2	4	7	...	1	...	19
" of Larynx	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
" of Lungs	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
" of Throat	2	1	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	1	2	10
" of Womb	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	2
Unknown	11	12	21	12	13	16	17	14	11	13	17	19	176
Varioloid	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	1	1	2	3	10
Worms	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	1	1	...	6

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Total, during the whole year.....16,978

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Tumor	...	1	1	3	2	3	1	...	...	..	1	2	14
Ulcers	...	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	. .	1	8
Ulceration of Brain	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
" of Intestines	1	...	...	...	3	1	2	4	7	...	1	...	19
" of Larynx	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
" of Lungs	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
" of Throat	2	1	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	1	2	10
" of Womb	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	2
Unknown	11	12	21	12	13	16	17	14	11	13	17	19	176
Varioloid	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	1	1	2	3	10
Worms	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	1	1	...	6

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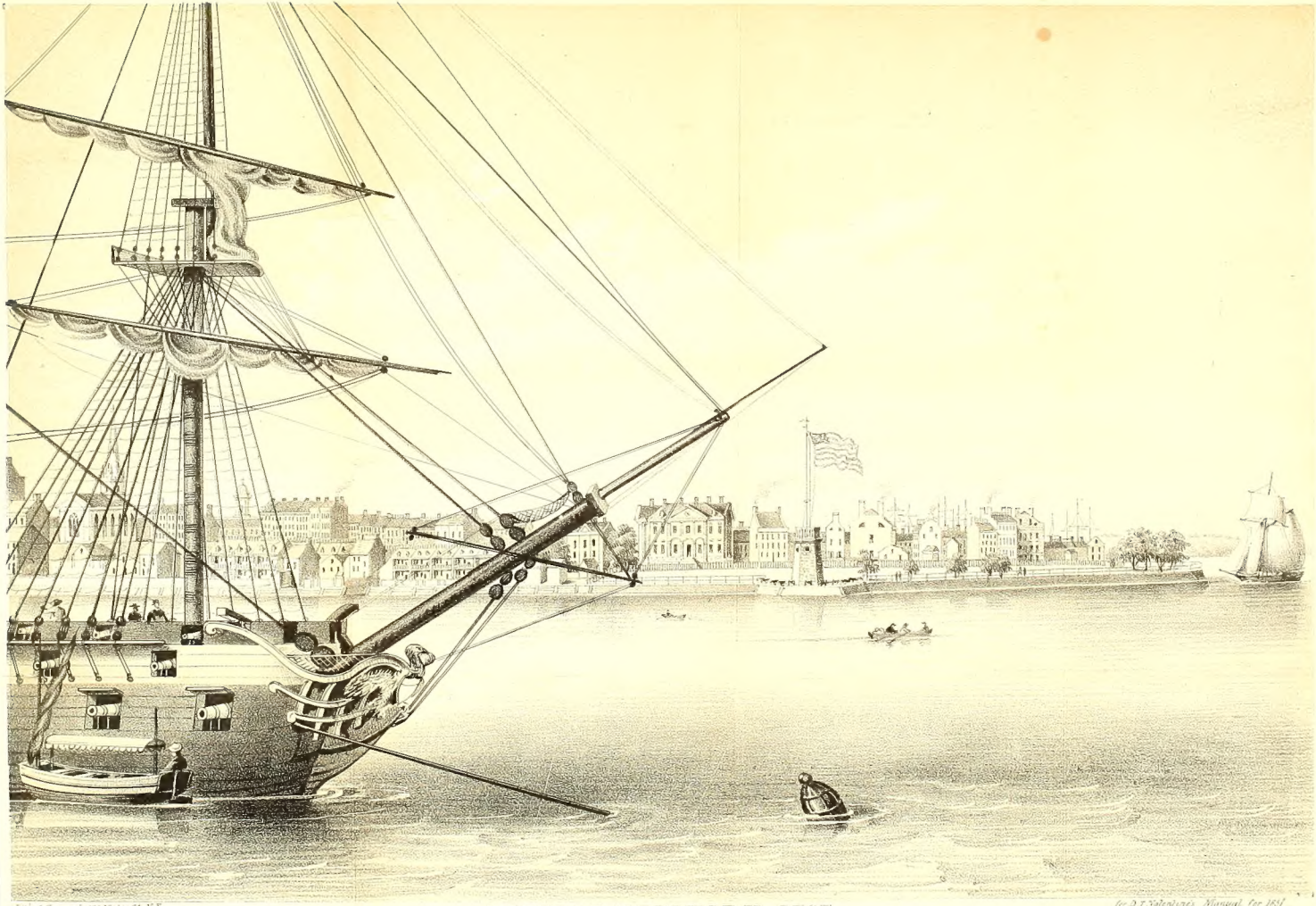

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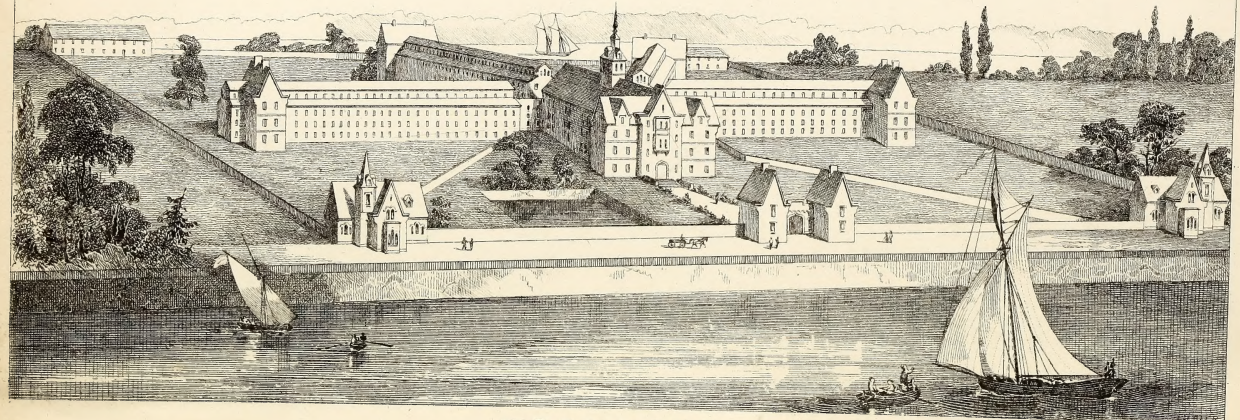
The deliberations of this committee resulted in the presentation of an able and voluminous report to the Board of Aldermen, on the 12th of February, 1849, in favor of the establishment of a Work-House, and they submitted an act to be presented to the Legislature, to carry out the said object. The recommendations of the committee were adopted by the Common Council, and the Legislature subsequently passed the act referred to. The building is now being constructed under the direction of the Governors of the Alms House, on Blackwell's Island. On the 3d of October, 1850, the ground was surveyed for the building, and on the 2d of November following the corner stone was laid by Mayor Woodhull, and the work is progressing as rapidly as circumstances will permit.



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Peter Dolan.....130 Nassau street
Marc Wasch.....125 Delancey street
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Hugh McCaffrey.....78 Catharine street
Edward Bartells.....151 Bowery
Joseph Wilson.....151 Bowery
Isaac Wilson.....60 Division street
Charlotte Cox.....65 Chatham street
Christopher Connelly.....138 Orange street
Wolf Walstaen.....14 Orange street
Michael Sefz.....173 Division street
Catharine Went.....83 Chatham street
Winnessed Conlan.....60 Centre street
Charles Cohen.....117 Chatham street
Peter Delap.....296 Division street
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Richard Walters.....87 Division street
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Thomas Dixon.....8 Third avenue

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Dennis Murphy.....260 South street
Michael Branning.....121 Willett street
Francis McKnight.....237 Stanton street
Peter Mooney.....107 Seventh avenue
Augustus Braden.....222 Third street
Francis Bleifert.....228 Second street
John H. Paff.....Eighth avenue and Forty-fourth street
John Ganter.....224 Delancey street
William Hennessey.....115 Thirty-first street
John Burrows.....81 West Seventeenth street
Daniel O'Brien.....23 Albany street

Francis McSally.....108 West Nineteenth street
Michael Goggin.....44 West Broadway
William Miles.....88 Hamersley street
John Delaney.....80 Hamersley street
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Charles Godecke.....372 Twenty-ninth street
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John McSweeney.....120 Roosevelt street
James McLaughlin.....33 Laurens street
Israel Samis.....208 West street
Thomas Keating.....24 Water street
Cornelius Connelly.....18 Anthony street
Mary Regan.....125 Roosevelt street
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Bartholomew Armstrong.....143 Cedar street
Patrick Culhane.....468 Water street
Thomas Goggin.....56 West Broadway
William Rogers.....240 Stanton street
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Patrick McLaughlin.....125 Walker street
John Gallivan.....101 Gold street
Samuel McCormick.....40 Dover street
Patrick Draddy.....155 South street
Thomas Moss.....29 Orange street
William Gillan.....492 Greenwich street
Michael Glannon.....174 South street
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Anthony Crossen.....95 Orange street
John Welsh.....71 West street
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Thomas Lamb.....89 Pike street
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John McBrady.....47 Jay street

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Charles Brookhain.....148 Grand street
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John Leavey.....248 Bowery
Morris Steine.....223 Bowery
Clark Mason.....424 Broadway
Clark Mason.....139 Bowery
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Solomon Ferre.....314 Broadway
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William Manning.....24 Catharine street
D. S. Bryant.....106 Chambers street
Philip A. Bell.....99 Leonard street
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C. B. Richard.....85 Greenwich street
Daniel Elmore.....7 Carmine street
Thorndike P. Saunders.....478 Broadway
George Oxx.....446 Broadway
Thomas Sprink.....114 Nassau street
F. J. Hunter.....2 Division street

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Leah Silver.....117 Spring street
Bennet King.....95 Canal street
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Mary McNichol & Son.....51 Roosevelt street
Louis Koffman.....75 Division street
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OFFENCES.	1838.	1839.	1840.	1841.	1842.	1843.	1844.	1845.	1846.	1847.	1848.	1849.	1850.
Murder	1	2	....	1	2	....	....	2	1	1	1	1	....
Arson, first degree, (capital)	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	1	....
Manslaughter, (various degrees)	2	4	3	8	....	3	7	2	2	1	3	6	4
Assault and Battery, with intent to kill or maim	6	5	3	2	3	4	8	4	6	4	3	6	5
Do. do. do. to rob	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	2	2
Rape, and attempt to commit Rape	....	1	1	4	....	1	1	5	4	5	1	4	2
Abandoning a child in public highway	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....
Robbery, (first degree)	2	2	6	4	5	....	3	2	3	11	6	4	10
Riot, with Assault	1	....	8	26	6	8	17	7	2	....	4	13	49
Assault and Battery	85	54	104	110	73	86	81	52	39	40	47	19	50
Procuring Abortion	....	....	....	2	....	....	5	....	2	1	....	....	....
Bigamy	3	4	2	2	1	2	....	3	2	5	3	1	3
Sodomy	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	1	....
Perjury, and Subornation of Perjury	....	3	2	....	2	2	2	2	....	....	....	2	....
Arson, (not capital)	....	1	1	1	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Burglary, (various degrees)	23	22	34	28	55	68	55	43	24	32	31	18	51
Attempt to Commit Felonies	4	4	2	7	2	5	6	4	6	10	6	10	10
Embezzlement	....	....	....	....	1	....	1	....	....	1	1	....	....
Grand Larceny, and Second offence	71	73	68	90	71	84	58	73	76	61	91	87	86
Petit Larceny, and attempt to commit do	112	90	63	57	49	40	42	40	88	66	54	95	101
Do 2d offence	2	3	3	4	....	....	3	1	3	....	....	....	....
Obtaining Property by False Pretences	3	2	6	4	3	5	7	8	9	10	16	10	11
Conspiracy	....	....	....	....	1	2	4	....	....	2	5	....	2
Carrying Slung-shot, (felony)	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	3

Receiving Stolen Goods, (scienter)	9	6	3	10	8	3	10	6	5	7	8	13	8
Accessory to Felony	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	1	....	....	....	....
Forgery, (various degrees)	6	12	9	4	27	22	8	11	9	7	7	12	13
Receiving Challenge to Fight a Duel	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Breaking Prison	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....
Aiding Prisoners to Escape	1	....	1	....	....	....	1	1	....	1	....	....	....
Keeping Gambling and Disorderly Houses	....	1	4	12	16	12	24	7	36	18	16	16	16
Nuisance	....	....	2	13	2	2	1	4	5	....	3	....	1
Selling, Insuring and Advertising Lottery Tickets	....	7	15	10	4	2	3	....	2	2	4	2	1
Libel	1	3	14	2	10	13	2	2	4	....	1	....	2
Cruelty to Animals	....	1	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	1
Selling Liquor without License	2	1	....	1	....	....	4	3	1	1	....	....	....
Misdemeanor	2	3	1	3	13	7	8	1	4	8	14	1	8
Acquitted	112	123	136	153	163	119	103	142	72	78	107	91	102
Sentenced to be Executed	1	2	....	1	2	....	....	2	1	1	1	2	....
Do. to State Prison	115	104	125	138	151	169	127	125	113	121	136	145	168
Do. to County Prisons	132	88	99	82	78	60	91	64	115	86	96	124	113
Do. to House of Refuge	9	13	6	11	12	11	11	25	18	19	19	4	21
Indictment found by Grand Jury	767	1008	1059	871	909	942	807	765	767	593	631	639	788
Complaints dismissed by do.	374	503	354	312	294	271	213	403	216	182	206	206	413

Of the thirteen persons sentenced to be executed in the above period, five were executed; the punishment of six was commuted to imprisonment for life, and one committed suicide, and one had a new trial ordered by the Court for the Correction of Errors, and was subsequently convicted of manslaughter.

CONVICTIONS, ACQUITTALS, DISCHARGES, ETC.,

By the Court of Special Sessions in and for the City and County of New York, from the year **1832** *to* **1850**, *both inclusive.*

CONVICTIONS, ETC.	1832.	1833.	1834.	1835.	1836.	1837.	1838.	1839.	1840.	1841.	1842.	1843.	1844.	1845.	1846.	1847.	1848.	1849.	1850.
Convictions, Petit Larc'y	382	339	404	394	341	340	261	349	526	666	744	907	896	991	977	1000	1064	1180	1419
Acquittals, do. do.	70	95	114	83	69	49	73	93	97	78	138	142	148	193	220	173	258	261	219
Convictions, Ass't & Bat.	187	238	248	217	191	188	125	163	226	296	287	392	551	615	509	334	436	558	837
Acquittals, do. do.	30	36	23	36	18	14	26	33	32	30	33	54	86	90	87	48	52	59	76
Discharges.....	214	175	325	407	48	542	429	581	488	396	375	537	838	1158	1109	697	672	938	1382
Total.....	883	883	1114	1127	1067	1133	914	1219	1369	1466	1577	2032	2519	3047	2922	2352	2502	2996	3933
No. of Trials in Spec. Ses.	668	616	719	650	573	553	434	614	839	1004	1119	1311	1495	1741	1651	1399	1635	1837	2218
Sentenced to Co. Prisons	392	368	391	357	318	418	296	241	508	682	737	987	1058	1128	1075	981	1003	1120	1402
Do. to House of Ref.	12	9	10	6	18	20	27	25	28	67	63	55	56	66	56	51	52	71	112

CIVIL COURTS.

COURTS OF APPEALS.

Class No. 1. Samuel A. Foote,
" " 2. Charles H. Ruggles.
Class No. 3. Addison Gardiner.
" " 4. Freeborn G. Jewett.

SUPREME COURT.

1st Judicial District.

John W. Edmonds,
James G. King, Jr.,
Henry P. Edwards,
William Mitchell.

2nd Judicial District.

Seward Barculo,
William T. McCoun,
Nathan B. Morse,
John W. Brown.

3d Judicial District.

Amasa J. Parker,
William B. Wright,
Ira Harris,
Malbone Watson.

4th Judicial District.

John Willard,
Daniel Cady,
Augustus C. Hand,
Alonzo C. Page.

5th Judicial District.

Philo Gridley,
William F. Allen,
Daniel Pratt,
Frederick W. Hubbard.

6th Judicial District.

Hiram Grey,
Levinus Monson,
Charles Mason,
William H. Shankland.

7th Judicial District.

Samuel L. Seldon,
Henry W. Taylor,
Henry Welles,
Thomas A. Johnson.

8th Judicial District.

James Mullett,
Seth E. Sill,
Richard P. Marvin,
James G. Hoyt.

Clerks of the several Counties *ex-officio* Clerks of the Supreme Court, except the County of Albany, which office is held by the Clerk of the Court of Appeals.

SUPREME COURT.

Assignment of Courts and Judges in the City of New York, for the year 1851.

GENERAL TERMS.

1851.

1st Monday of February.....Judges Edmonds, Edwards, King.
1st " " May..... " Edmonds, Edwards, Mitchell.
1st " " October..... " Edmonds, Mitchell, King.
1st " " December..... " Edmonds, Edwards, Mitchell.

CIRCUITS.

1851.

1st	Monday	of	January	By Judge Mitchell.
1st	"	"	February	" Mitchell.
1st	"	"	March	" Edwards.
1st	"	"	April	" Mitchell.
1st	"	"	May	" King.
1st	"	"	June	" Edwards.
1st	"	"	September	" King.
1st	"	"	October	" Edwards.
1st	"	"	November	" Edmonds.
1st	"	"	December	" King.

SPECIAL TERMS.

1851.

1st	Monday	of	January	By Judge Edmonds.
1st	"	"	March	" Edmonds.
1st	"	"	April	" King.
1st	"	"	June	" Edmonds.
1st	"	"	September	" Edwards.
1st	"	"	November	" Mitchell.

And every Saturday for special motions.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Thomas J. Oakley, *Chief Justice.*

Lewis H. Sandford,
Elijah Paine,
John Duer,
John L. Mason,
William W. Campbell,
} *Justices.*

David R. Floyd Jones, *Clerk.*

General Terms.

Held on the first Mondays of January, March, May, July, September and November.

Special Terms.

Held on the first Mondays of February, April, June, October and December.

During the General Terms, one of the Justices will hold a Court at Chambers daily, at 10 o'clock, A. M

COMMON PLEAS.

Hon. D. P. Ingraham, *First Judge.*

Charles P. Daly,
Lewis B. Woodruff,
} *Associate Judges.*

George W. Riblet, *Clerk.*

Terms of the Court of Common Pleas, for the City and County of New York, for the years 1850 *and* 1851.

GENERAL TERMS.

4th Monday,	January	Judges	Ingraham and Daly.
"	February	"	Ingraham and Woodruff.
"	March	"	Daly and Woodruff.
"	April	"	Ingraham and Daly.
"	May	"	Ingraham and Woodruff.
"	June	"	Daly and Woodruff.
"	September	"	Daly and Woodruff.
"	October	"	Ingraham and Daly.
"	November	"	Ingraham and Woodruff.
"	December	"	Daly and Woodruff.

SPECIAL TERMS FOR ISSUES OF LAW.

Held at Chambers for 1850 *and* 1851.

1st Monday,	January	Judge	Woodruff.
"	February	"	Daly.
"	March	"	Ingraham.
"	April	"	Woodruff.
"	May	"	Daly.
"	June	"	Ingraham.
"	July	"	Woodruff.
"	August	"	Daly.
"	September	"	Ingraham.
"	October	"	Woodruff.
"	November	"	Daly.
"	December	"	Ingraham.

SPECIAL TERM FOR TRIAL OF ISSUES OF FACT, FOR 1851.

First Part.

1st Monday,	January	Judge	Daly.
"	February	"	Ingraham.
"	March	"	Woodruff.
"	April	"	Daly.
"	May	"	Ingraham.
"	June	"	Woodruff.
"	July	"	Daly.
"	October	"	Daly.
"	November	"	Ingraham.
"	December	"	Woodruff.

Motions and Chamber business will be attended to daily at Chambers, at 10, A. M.

The General and Special Terms will open at 10, A. M.

MARINE COURT.

James Lynch, } *Justices.*
Edward E. Cowles, }

Isaac Dayton, *Clerk.*

Every day except Saturdays.

UNITED STATES COURT.

Southern District of New York, comprising the following counties :

Columbia, Dutchess, Greene, Kings, New York, Orange, Putnam, Queens, Richmond, Rockland, Suffolk, Sullivan, Ulster and Westchester.

OFFICERS OF THE COURT.

Samuel Nelson, { *Associate Justice of U. S. Supreme Court, and Judge of the Circuit Court.*

Samuel R. Betts, *Judge of the District Court.*
J. Prescott Hall, *U. S. District Attorney.*
Henry F. Tallmadge, *U. S. Marshal.*
John W. Neilson, *Clerk of Circuit Court.*
Richard E. Stilwell, *Deputy Clerk.*
Geo. W. Morton, *Clerk of District Court.*
Jos. Bridgham, *Deputy Clerk.*

COMMISSIONERS.

John W. Neilson,	George W. Morton,
Richard E. Stilwell,	John Nelson,
Jos. Bridgham,	Charles W. Newton,

U. S. COMMISSIONERS TO TAKE AFFIDAVITS, DEPOSITIONS, BAILS, ETC.

The Clerks of the Circuit and District Courts, and their Chief Deputies, are Commissioners *ex-officio* for the City and County of New York ; and the County Clerks of the remaining Counties, comprising the Southern District of New York, are Commissioners *ex-officio* for those Counties.

COURT TERMS.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT.

Equity and Criminal Terms, last Monday in February.
General Terms, first Monday in April, and Third Monday in October.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.

General Terms, first Tuesday in each month.
Special Court, every Tuesday.

COMMISIONERS OF DEEDS.

Alden, George T.
Amerman, Jacob R.
Amerman, Abraham B.
Andrews, Robert W.
Anderson, John, jr.
Anderson, Henry H.
Armstrong, William H.

Baker, John,
Baldwin, James M.
Banks, Henry C.
Batchelor, Isaac B.
Barker, Isaac O.
Barrow, Edmund P.
Bagley, Sargent V.
Beebee, Jeremiah S.
Benjamin, Oscar F.
Betts, Samuel O.
Billinge, Benjamin L.
Birdsell, Charles E.
Bowley, Daniel
Bradford, Nathaniel G.
Bragart, Cornelius
Brewer, Merwin R.
Brewster, Mason S.
Brown, Daniel B.
Bruonton, William,
Bull, Jireh
Busteed, Richard
Burdett, Charles

Coppinger, John B.
Carpenter, George
Clark, Daniel W.
Corey, Edwin T.
Clark, Edward P.
Campbell, Robert G.
Curray, Duncan F.
Cammerden, Henry
Channing, Henry W.
Clift, Smith
Cole, Jacob
Corp, William

Disosway, Cornelius R.
Drake, John
Delavan, Christian S.
Downing, Richard C.
Davies, J. Mansfield,
Dodge, William

Doherty, John
Divine, Michael
Darlington, Thomas
Davenport, George T.

Edgar, Jonathan
Everett, Nicholas C.
Edmonds, John F.
Elliott, John H.
Elwell, George H.

Foster, J. P. Giraud
Frost, Henry K.
Floyd, Ira R.
Fairman, William
Fraser, Edward A.
Fowler, John, jr.
Ferris, Marcus P.
Fraser, Charles,
Finch, Nathaniel

Gridley, James
Gray, Neil
Green, James
Glover, Thaddeus B.
Genet, Henry W.
George, Henry P.
Gray, Epenetus C.
Guest, Francis B.

Hudson, George
Hurst, Lewis
Hall, Alden J.
Hobart, Dayton
Hart, Felix
Hoxie, Nathaniel B.
Hughson, Frederick
Holmes, Robert D.
Hall, A. Oakey
Hart, Michael G.
Hoffman, John T.
Hoyt, John D.
Hegeman, John
Hyatt, James P.
Hart, Charles B.
Hudson, Ephraim H.
Harley, John L.
Howard, Jacob E.
Halsey, Jacob L.
Hale, James W.

Harriott, James C.
Harrison, William B.
Hodgkinson, Worthington
Hillyer, James
Hoffman, F. S.
Hunt, Hiram.

Ireland, George, jr.

Jarvis, Nathaniel, jr.
Jessup, Samuel,
Jessurun, S.
Jones, Joseph W.

Kennedy, Abram W.
Ketchum, Edgar
Kellock, George, jr.
Kerr, Henry A.
Kirby, T. Spencer
Knox, John M.

Lalor, John
Lindsay, Edward
Lynch, George H. E.
Lynch, James
Leveridge, John W. C.
Lewis, Benedict, jr.
Lee, Frederick R.
Latting, John J.
Lane, Smith E.

Macfarlan, Thomas
Martine, Theodore
Martindale, Stephen, jr.
Miller, Nehemiah
Mills, Joseph T.
Murray, James M.
Milspaugh, Joseph
McCahill, John
Morris, William L.
McCarty, Florence
Moss, Reuben E.
Mead, Charles
McPherson, Edward S.
Morrell, Elisha
Merange, Henry H.
Marsh, John O.
McKeen, James
Maclay, Moses B.
Meeks, William H.
Mumford, William O.
McGowan, Henry P.
Mallory, Daniel.

Nelson, George P.
Nesbit, Andrew
Norwood, Carlisle.
Nims, Theodore,
Nones, Joseph B.
Newhouse, John.

Osborn, George L.

Palmer, Joseph E.
Pirsson, John W.
Pinkney, John M.
Pitkin, Lucius,
Paris, Irving,
Purdy, Augustus
Parker, John B.
Phillips, Jonas B.
Phillips, John
Purs, Thomas F.
Pinckney, Joseph C.
Powers, William

Roome, William J.
Rice, Henry H.
Rhines, Olcott
Riblet, William H.
Rockwell, William B.
Ripley, William
Romaine, Worthington
Richardson, Charles O.
Randal, David
Ruthven, James A.
Rogers, Edward N.
Ruggles, Horace

Sinclair, William
Shannon, Robert H.
Smith, Elias L.
Stuyvesant, Theodore
Sandford, Charles W.
Sparks, William H.
Stodgill, William H.
Schmidt, John C. T.
Strong, Joseph
Striker, George H.
Smith, E. Delafield
Strebeigh, Robert M.
Sommers, Thomas S.
Stafford, William R.
Smith, William, E., jr.
Scott, Richard
Sterling, William G.
Sandford, Charles F.
Seamen, David
Sharp, Alexander P.
Smith, George J.
Smith, James W.
Stewart, T. A.

Stewart, James L.
Sweeny, James M.

Taylor, Daniel B.
Taylor, George G.
Taylor, George L.
Thompson, Albert A.
Townsend, Henry D.
Townsend, Kneeland S.
Townsend, John J.

Underhill, Walter M.
Upton, Francis H.

Van Cott, Thomas G.
Vandenhoff, Cornelius S.
Van Vechten, A. V. W.
Van Voorhis, Cornelius
Varnum, Joseph B., jr.
Vultee, Frederick L.

Waite, John
Wakeman, Abraham
Ward, Sylvester L. H.
Wardsworth, Louis F.
Waring, Charles B.
Warner, Jacob S.
Webber, John
Wells, James N., Jr.
Welsh, J. H.
Wheeler, Charles B.
Wheeler, David E.
White, John H.
Wright, Amhurst.

NOTARIES PUBLIC.

Abbott, Carnden

Baker, Charles W.
Baldwin, James M.
Bloodgood, Francis
Brown, Constant H.
Brown, Samuel T.
Brown, William H.
Bull, Jireh
Benedict, Charles L.
Baldwin, Simeon
Bloomfield, William
Beck, Folker J.
Brewer, Merwin R.
Bibby, Edward A.

Campbell, Robert B.
Camerden, Henry, jr.
Chetwood, John, jr.
Clark, Emanuel T.
Clark, Thomas M.
Clark, John N.
Campbell, John D.
Church, James C.
Calhoun, Henry
Cazneau, Thomas B.

Darling, William A.
Davis, J. Mansfield
De Lancey, E. F.
Dodge, Jeremiah, jr.
Dodge, William
Draper, Theodore S.
Drake, John
Dusenbury, Elias.

Eckel, Christian G.
Edwards, Charles
Edwards, Walter
English, William C. R.
Embree, Robert.

Fowler, John, jr.
Foster, J. P. Giraud.

Gallatin, Albert, jr.
Genet, Henry W.
Graham, Dewitt C.
Greenleaf, Augustus W.
Grenelle, William H.
Gridley, James
Gutman, Joseph.

Haight, Nicholas
Hoffman, John T.
Howard, James P.
Himrod, Oliver W.
Hammond, John A.
Hickson, John, Jr.
Harberger, John S.
Horn, William T.
Hopper, John
Hoxie, Nathaniel B.
Hunter, Marcus.

Irving, Pierre M.

Jaques, David R.

Kane, J. Greenville

Lawrence, Joseph C.
Lane, Thaddeus H.
Lee, William P.
Lewis Gabriel
Leveridge, Benjamin C.
Livingston, John
Lyell, John H.
Lyon, David S.

Mallory, Daniel
Maxwell, William H.
McLean, George W.
McKinstry, Charles
Merrihew, Stephen
Milldolar, William S.

Nelson, George P.
Neilson, John, jr.
Neilson, John
Nessler, Joseph A.
Newhouse, John
Nones, Joseph B.
Nott, Charles C.

Overton, R. Carleton.

Paris, Irving
Phillips, Albert H.
Pirsson, John W.
Pitkin, Lubius

Polack, Joseph
Poole, William
Purdy, Augustus.

Ransom, Adam G.
Rapallo, Charles A.
Richmond, Thomas A.
Riker, Elijah H.
Rogers, A. Robertson
Ruggles, Horace M.

Seixas, Daniel
Stewart, Thomas
Stevens, John Bancroft

Tracy, Charles
Turney, Paschall W.

Van Schaick, Stephen D.
Van Vleck, Jasper F.

Wadsworth, Louis S
Ward, Richard B.
Washington, Allen
Weeelwright, Washington
White, John N.
Woodman, George
Woodman, William A.

PUBLIC OFFICES.

City Hall, Park.

Chief of Police	Office,	Basement,	No.	1	City Hall
Clerk of Marine Court	"	"	"	2	" "
Marine Court	"	"	"	3	" "
Sheriff's Jury	"	"	"	4	" "
Clerk of Board of Assistant Aldermen	"	1st Floor,	"	5	" "
Mayor	"	"	"	6	" "
Health Commissioner	"	"	"	6	" "
First Marshal	"	"	"	6	" "
Superintendent of Carts,	"	"	"	6	" "
Commissioner of Jurors	"	"	"	7	" "
Clerk Common Council	"	"	"	8	" "
Keeper of City Hall	"	"	"	9	" "
County Clerk, Sup. Court and Com. Pl's,	"	"	"	10	" "
Sheriff	"	"	"	11	" "
Corporation Library Room	"	"	"	12	" "
Judges Chambers Common Pleas	"	"	"	13	" "
Governor's Room		2d Floor,	"	14	" "

Board of Aldermen	Chamber,	2d Floor,	No. 15	City Hall	
Superior Court	Part 1st,	"	" 16	"	"
" "	Part 2d,	"	" 17	"	"
Clerk of Superior Court	Office,	"	" 18	"	"
Court of Common Pleas	Part 1st,	"	" 19	"	"
" " "	Part 2d,	"	" 20	"	"
Board of Assistant Aldermen	Chamber,	"	" 21	"	"

New City Hall, Park.

Commissioner of Repairs and Supplies	Office,	Basement, No.	1
Collector of Assessments	"	" "	2
Commissioner of Streets and Lamps	"	" "	3
Corporation Attorney	"	" " 4 and	5
Receiver of Taxes	"	" "	6
Tax Commissioners	"	" "	7
Coroner	"	" "	8
District Attorney	"	" "	9
City Inspector	"	" "	10
Commissioners of Emigration	"	" "	11
Recorder	"	adjoining New C. Hall	
Clerk of Board of Education	"	1st Floor, West End	
Law Library	"	" "	"
Corporation Counsel	"	" "	"
Supreme Court, Special and General Terms, Chambers,		"	Middle
Circuit Court	"	2d Floor,	"
Court of Oyer and Terminer	"	"	"
Superior Court	"	"	"
United States District Attorney	Office,	1st Floor,	East End
" " Marshal	"	"	"
" " Commissioners	"	"	"
" " Circuit Court, Clerk's	"	"	"
" " Court	"	2d Floor,	"

Rotunda, Park.

Governors of Alms House	Office,	1st Floor	
Croton Aqueduct Department	"	2d	"
Water Purveyor,	"	2d	"

Hall of Records, Park.

Register	Office,	1st Floor, No.	1 and 2
Surrogate	"	" "	3
Street Commissioner	"	2d Floor, "	4
Comptroller	"	" "	5
Collector of City Revenue	"	" "	5

Chamberlain of City	Office,	at Mechanics' Bank.
Public Administrator	"	No. 7 Nassau street.
Superintendent of Buildings	"	Elizabeth, bet. Bayard and Walker.
" Streets,	"	rear of Essex market.
" Lamps and Gas,	"	Mercer, near Prince street.
" Pavements	"	No. 1 New City Hall, at office of Com. of Repairs and Supplies.
" of Wharves,	"	No. 4 Hall of Records.
Police, Lower	"	at Halls of Justice, Centre street.
" Upper	"	rear of Essex market.
" "	"	at Jefferson "
For Proving Water Pipes	"	corner Sixth avenue and Amos st.

OMNIBUSES.

PROPRIETORS.	ROUTES.	NO. STAGES.
Kipp & Brown	From corner of Twenty-third street and Ninth avenue, through Ninth avenue to Hudson street, through Hudson street to Canal, through Canal street to Broadway, down Broadway to the Bowling Green	40 two horse.
Kipp & Brown	From Hudson river railroad depot, through Thirtieth street to Ninth avenue, through Ninth avenue to Hudson street, through Hudson street to Chambers, through Chambers to Greenwich street, through Greenwich street to Battery place	10 two horse.
Hatfield & Wilkins	From Thirty-second street, down Fourth avenue, Broadway and Whitehall street to South ferry	35 two horse.
Cornell & Turnure	From Forty-second street, down Broadway and Whitehall street to South ferry	35 two horse.
Concklin & Brother	From Thirty-fourth street and Third avenue to the Bowery, down the Bowery to Chatham street, down Chatham street to Broadway, down Broadway to Whitehall street, down Whitehall street to South ferry.	32 two horse.
James Murphy	From Fourteenth street, through Avenue B to Tenth street, through Tenth street to Avenue A, through Avenue A to Eighth street, through Eighth street and Astor place to Broadway, down Broadway and Whitehall street to South ferry	23 two horse.

Rabold, Andrews & Brother	From Thirty-fourth street and Sixth avenue, down Sixth avenue to and through Eighth street to Broadway, down Broadway and Whitehall street to South ferry	20 two horse.
Rabold, Andrews & Brother	From Thirty-fourth street and Sixth avenue, down Sixth avenue to and through Ninth street to Broadway, down Broadway and Whitehall street to South ferry	20 two horse.
Mackrell & Simpson	From Tenth street and Avenue C, through Tenth street to Avenue D, through Avenue D to Lewis street, through Lewis and Grand streets to East Broadway, down East Broadway, Chatham street, Broadway and Whitehall street to South ferry	28 two horse.
Curtis, Marshall & McLelland	From Twenty-first street, down Seventh avenue, Greenwich avenue to and through Sixth avenue to Amity street, through Amity street to Broadway, down Broadway to and through Fulton street to Fulton ferry	26 two horse.
Curtis, Marshall & McLelland	From corner of Forty-second street and Fifth avenue, through Fifth avenue to Broadway, down Broadway to and through Fulton street to Fulton ferry	20 two horse.
Lent & Jimmerson	From the north-east corner of Avenue C and Tenth street, through Tenth street to Avenue D, through Avenue D to Columbia and Grand streets, to the Bowery, down the Bowery, Chatham street, Broadway and Whitehall street to South ferry	28 two horse.
Murphy & Kavanagh	From Harlem bridge, down Third avenue, Bowery and Chatham street to Tryon row	20 two horse.
Benjamin Moore	From Manhattanville, down the Bowery and Chatham street to Tryon row	8 two horse.
Freeman, Shephard & Miller	From the corner of Forty-second street and Eighth avenue, through Eighth avenue to Fourth street to Sixth avenue, down Sixth avenue to Carmine street to Bedford street, through Bedford street to Houston to Broadway, down Broadway to Maiden lane, through Maiden lane to South street, along South street to the west side of Burling slip	10 two horse.

PROPRIETORS.	ROUTES.	NO. STAGES.
Sudlow & Siney	From the north-easterly end of Avenue C, through Avenue C to Houston street, through Houston street to the Bowery, down the Bowery, Chatham street, Broadway and Whitehall street to South ferry	25 two horse.
John B. Dingledien	From Sixty-first street and Third avenue, down Third avenue, Bowery and Chatham street to Pearl street, through Pearl street to Peck slip, and South street to Burling slip	24 two horse.
William Tyson	From Williamsburgh ferry, through Grand street to and down Broadway to Canal street, through Canal street to Greenwich street, down Greenwich street to Cortlandt street to the Jersey City ferry	20 two horse.
Garrison & Merriam	From foot of Twenty-third street, East river, to and through First avenue to Allen street, through Allen to and through Rivington street to the Bowery, through the Bowery and Chatham street to Broadway, down Broadway to Whitehall street, through Whitehall street to South ferry	20 two horse.
Freeman, Shephard & Miller	From Twenty-third street, down Eighth avenue to and through Bleecker street to Broadway, down Broadway and Whitehall street to South ferry	41 two horse.
O'Keefe & Duryea	From Forty-eighth street and Eighth avenue, through Eighth avenue to Hudson street, through Hudson, Canal and Broadway to John street, down John to the Fulton ferry	23 two horse.
Lent & Mulford	From Houston street ferry, through Second street to Bleecker street, through Bleecker street to Broadway, down Broadway to Cortlandt, through Cortlandt street to Jersey City ferry	15 two horse.
Reynolds & Weart	From the Hudson river railroad depot, through Thirty-first street, or one of the neighboring streets, to Ninth avenue, through Ninth avenue to Fourteenth street, through Fourteenth street to Broadway, through Broadway and Whitehall street to South ferry	27 two horse.

Bertine & Ryerson.....	From the Hudson river railroad depot, corner Thirty-first street and Tenth avenue, through Tenth avenue to and through Fourteenth street to Ninth avenue, through Ninth avenue and Greenwich street to and through Spring street to Broadway, down Broadway to Grand street, through Grand street to the Williamsburgh ferry..... The above revoked by his Honor the Mayor, January 7th, 1851.	20 two horse.

Total number of licensed omnibuses, February 1, 1851,.....	568	
Of which 516 pay $20 each,.....		$10,320
" " 24 " 10 "		240
" " 28 " 5 "		140
	568	$10,700

Total number of licensed hacks from May 1st, 1850, to May 1st, 1851.....	341	
Of which 241 pay $5 each,.....		$1,205
" " 4 " 3 "		12
		$1,217

Of the above one hundred are special licensed.

TAVERN AND EXCISE LICENSES.

Whole number of Tavern and Excise Licenses issued during the year ending May 1st, 1851, when those licenses expire, is.....4,553

Cartmen's Licenses issued since the last Monday in July, 1850, and in force 1st June, 1851—viz: new licenses, 959; renewals, 2634.....3,593

Whole number of Dirt Cart Licenses issued during the year ending on the last Monday in February, 1851.....1,084

New Licenses issued since, and in force 1st June, 1851.....616
Renewals do. do. do. 363
— 979

Whole number of Porters' Licenses issued for the year ending with the last Monday in March, 1851..... 197

New Licenses issued since, and in force 1st June, 1851..... 20
Renewals do. do. do. 150
— 170

Whole number of Licenses to Charcoal Pedlars, in force 1st June, 1851, 68

Number of Licenses to Keepers of Emigrant Boarding Houses, in force 1st June, 1851..... 83

Number of Licenses to Emigrant Runners, in force 1st June, 1851... 85
Do. do. do. Bookers, do. do. ... 34

Amount received during the fiscal year ending 31st December, 1850, for

919	Cart Licenses.....	$2 50	each.....		$2,297 50
2653	Cart renewals.....	50	"		1,326 00
856	Dirt Cart Licenses.....	50	"		428 00
160	Do. do. renewals.....	12½	"		20 00
58	Porter. Licenses.....	1 00	"		58 00
142	Do. renewals.....	12½	"		17 75
14	Charcoal Pedlar Licenses.....	2 50	"		35 00
27	Do. do. do. renewals,	50	"		13 50
80	Emigrant Boarding House Licenses,	10 00	"		80 00
83	Do. Runners' Licenses.....	20 00	"		1,660 00
33	Do. Bookers' do.	25 00	"		825 00
4528	Tavern and Excise Licenses.....	10 00	"		45,280 00
	Penalties collected.....				459 75
					$53,386 00

LEASES OF FERRIES

FROM THE CITY OF NEW YORK TO ADJACENT PLACES.

					Rent per An.
Hamilton avenue Ferry	From Whitehall street, New York,	to	Hamilton avenue, Brooklyn		———
South Ferry	" Whitehall street..	"	..to Atlantic street, Brooklyn,	} $35,000 00	
Fulton Ferry	" Fulton street.....	"	..to Fulton street, "		
Catharine street Ferry	" Catharine street...	"	..to Main street, Brooklyn	3,500 00	
Jackson street Ferry	" Gouverneur street.	"	..to Jackson street, Brooklyn	1,050 00	
Grand street Ferry	" Grand street.....	"	..to Grand street, Williamsburgh	6,000 00	
Peck Slip and Williamsburgh Ferry	" Peck slip.....	"	..to South Seventh street, Williamsburgh	3,000 00	
Houston street Ferry	" Houston street....	"	..to Grand street, Williamsburgh	560 00	
Hell-Gate Ferry	" Eighty-sixth street,	"	..to Hallet's Point, L. I.	190 00	
Staten Island Ferry	" Whitehall street..	"	..to Staten Island	———	
Elizabeth Port Ferry	" Battery place.....	"	..to " "	———	
Jersey City Ferry	" Cortlandt street...	"	..to Jersey City, N. J	750 00	
Barclay street Ferry	" Barclay street.....	"	..to Hoboken, "	} 375 00	
Canal street Ferry	" Canal street.....	"	..to " "		
Christopher street Ferry	" Christopher street.	"	..to " "		
Fort Lee and Bull's Ferry	" Canal street.....	"	..to Fort Lee and Bull's Ferry, N. J	———	

LESSEES OF

South Ferry, Fulton Ferry,	Union Ferry Company
Catharine street Ferry	R. & S. Bowne
Jackson street Ferry	Estate J. G. Costar
Grand street Ferry	New Company
Peck slip and Williamsburgh Ferry	Company
Houston street Ferry	Company
Hell-Gate Ferry	S A. Halsey
Staten Island Ferry	C. Vanderbilt
Elizabeth Port Ferry	Company
Jersey City Ferry	Company
Barclay street Ferry, Canal street Ferry, Christopher street Ferry,	J. C., R. L. & E. A. Stevens
Fort Lee and Bull's Ferry	Hogg & Delamater

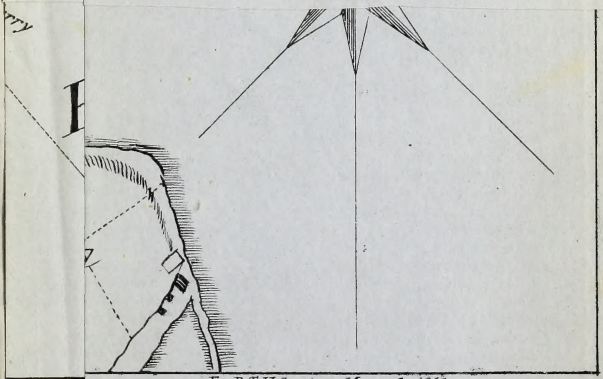
LIST OF PIERS.

East River.

1, Foot of the Battery, Staten Island Ferry.
2, Whitehall, South Ferry.
3, Moore street.
4, 5, Broad street.
6, 7, 8, Coenties slip.
9, ———.
10, ———.
11, 12, Old slip.
13, Gouverneur's lane.
14, Jones' lane.
15, 16, Coffee House slip, Wall street.
17, Pine street.
18, Maiden Lane.
19, Fletcher street.
20, 21, Burling slip.
22, Fulton market, Fulton ferry, Flushing steamboat.
23, Beekman street.
24, New Haven, Norwich and N. London steamboat lines.
25, 26, Peck slip, Hartford steamboat line; Williamsburgh ferry, between piers 25 and 26.
27, 28, Dover street.
29, Roosevelt street.
30, ———.
31, 32, James street.
33, Oliver street.
34, 35, Catharine slip, Catharine ferry, Norwalk and Bridgeport steamboat line.
36, 37, Market street.
38, Screw Dock.
39, bet. Market and Pike streets.
40, 41, Pike street.
42, bet. Pike and Rutgers streets.
43, 44, Rutgers street.
45, bet. Rutgers and Jefferson sts.
46, Jefferson street.
48, Clinton street.
49, bet. Clinton and Montgomery streets.
51, Montgomery street.
52, 53, Gouverneur street.
56, 57, Walnut street.
58, Corlear's Hook.
—, Foot of Twenty-third street.
—, " Twenty-sixth street.
—, " Twenty-eighth st.
—, " Thirty-eighth street.
—, " 130th street.

North River.

1, Battery place, Boston and Providence Railroad line, and Elizabethport and Staten Island ferry.
2, Railroad line for Philadelphia, and New Brunswick steamboat line.
3, ———.
4, Morris street, (Charleston steamboat line.)
5, 6, 7, bet. Morris and Rector sts.
8, Rector street.
9, 10, bet. Rector and Carlisle sts.
11, Carlisle street.
12, Albany street.
13, bet. Albany and Cedar sts.
14, Cedar street.
15, Liberty street.
16, bet. Liberty and Cortlandt sts
16, Cortlandt street and Jersey city ferry.
17, bet. Cortlandt and Liberty sts.
18, Cortlandt street.
19, bet. Cortlandt and Dey sts.
20, Dey street.
21, Washington market.
22, ———.
23, Foot of Vesey street.
25, " Barclay street.
27, " Robinson street.
28, " Murray street.
29, Foot of Warren street.
30, " Chambers street.
31, " Duane street.
32, bet. Duane and Jay streets.
33, Foot of Jay street.
34, " Harrison street.
35, " Franklin street.
36, " North Moore street.
37, " Beach street.
38, " Hubert street.
39, " Vesey street.



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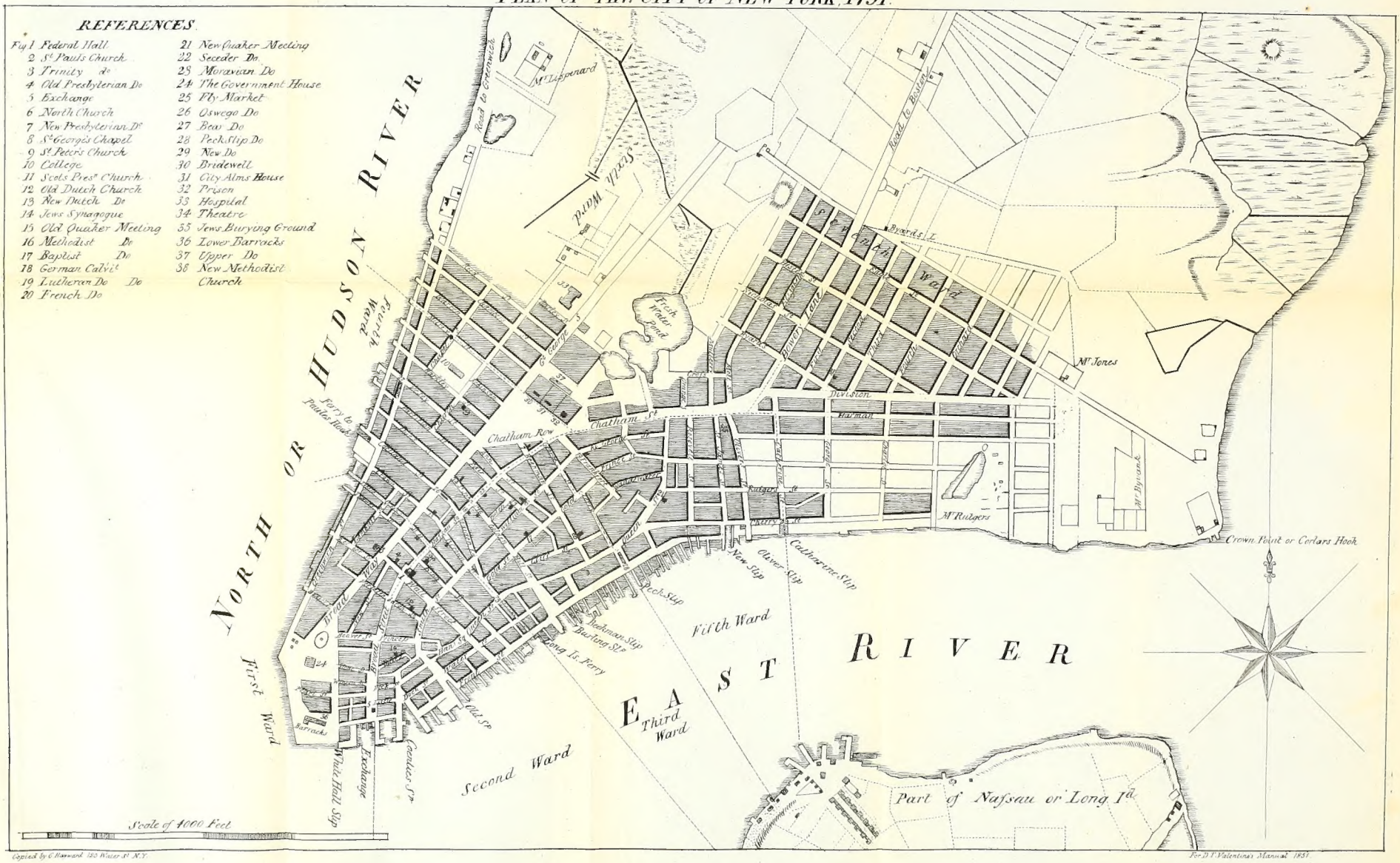
PLAN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, 1791.



40, Foot of Watts street.
41, bet. Hoboken and Canal sts.
42, Foot of Canal street.
43, " Spring street.
44, bet. Spring and Charlton sts.
45, Foot of Charlton street.
46, " King street.
47, " Hamersley street.
48, " Clarkson street.
49, " Leroy street.
50, Foot of Morton street.
51, " Christopher street.
52, " Amos street.
53, " Charles street.
54, " Perry street.
55, " Hammond street.
—, " Eighteenth street.
—, " Twenty-first street.
—, " Twenty-sixth street.
—, " Forty-third street.

LOCATION OF ALL THE MARKETS IN THE CITY.

Washington, bounded by Washington, West, Fulton and Vesey streets.
Fulton, bounded by Fulton, Beekman, Front and South streets.
Centre, bounded by Grand, Broome, Centre and Orange streets.
Essex, bounded by Grand st., Essex Market place, Ludlow and Essex sts.
Catharine, in Catharine street, running from Cherry street to South street.
Jefferson, in Greenwich lane, between Amos street and Sixth avenue.
Union, at the junction of Houston and Second streets.
Tompkins, in Third avenue, between Sixth and Seventh streets.
Clinton, bounded by Canal, Spring, West and Washington streets.
Gouverneur, foot of Gouverneur street, East river.
Franklin, in Old slip, from Front street to South street.

SQUARES AND PLACES.

Abingdon, bounded by Hudson street, Eighth avenue and Troy street.
Battery, fronting the Harbor, foot of Broadway.
Bowling Green, foot of Broadway.
Gramercy Park, bounded by Fourth and Fifth avenues, and Twentieth and Twenty-first streets.
Hamilton Square, Yorkville.
Park, bounded by Broadway, Chatham and Chambers streets.
Madison Square, bounded by Fourth and Fifth avenues, and Twenty-third and Twenty-sixth streets.
St. John's Park, bounded by Laight, Beach, Varick and Hudson streets.
Tompkins' Square, bounded by Avenues A and B, and Seventh and Tenth streets.
Union Place, bounded by Fourth and Fifth avenues, and Fourteenth and Seventeenth streets.
Washington Square, bounded by Waverley place, and Fourth, Macdougal and Wooster streets.

TABLE OF DISTANCES.

FROM THE BATTERY.	FROM THE EXCHANGE.	FROM THE CITY HALL.	TO
¼ of a mile			Rector street.
½	¼ of a mile		Fulton "
¾	½		Warren "
1 mile	¾	¼ of a mile	Leonard "
1¼	1 mile	½	Canal "
1½	1¼	¾	Spring "
1¾	1½	1 mile	Houston "
2	1¾	1¼	4th "
2¼	2	1½	9th "
2½	2¼	1¾	14th "
2¾	2½	2	17th "
3	2¾	2¼	24th "
3¼	3	2½	29th "
3½	3¼	2¾	34th "
3¾	3½	3	38th "
4	3¾	3¼	44th "
4¼	4	3½	49th "
4½	4¼	3¾	54th "
4¾	4½	4	58th "
5	4¾	4¼	63d "
5¼	5	4½	68th "
5½	5¼	4¾	73d "
5¾	5½	5	78th "
6	5¾	5¼	83d "
6¼	6	5½	88th "
6½	6¼	5¾	93d "
6¾	6½	6	97th "
7	6¾	6¼	102d "
7¼	7	6½	107th "
7½	7¼	6¾	112th "
7¾	7½	7	117th "
8	7¾	7¼	121st "
8¼	8	7½	126th "
8½	8¼	7¾	131st "
8¾	8½	8	136th "
9	8¾	8¼	140th "
9¼	9	8½	145th "
9½	9¼	8¾	150th "
9¾	9½	9	154th "

DISTANCES

ACROSS THE DIFFERENT FERRIES FROM NEW YORK.

South Ferry.....1,066 yards
Fulton Ferry.....731 yards
Catherine Ferry.....735 yards
Walnut street Ferry.....635 yards
Peck slip Ferry.....2,800 yards
Williamsburgh Ferry.....950 yards
Staten Island Ferry. ...6,418 yards

NUMBER OF ACRES CONTAINED IN THE DIFFERENT PUBLIC PARKS.

Battery, about.....11 acres
Park, about.....10½ acres
Hudson Square, about.. ...4 acres
Washington do., little over.9 acres

Tompkins' Square is the largest in this city.

EXTRACT FROM A LAW TO REGULATE

CARTS AND CARTMEN.

Of the Rates or Prices of Cartage.

The prices or rates to be taken or charged for the loading, transportation and unloading of goods, wares or other articles, shall be as follows, to wit:—

Oils, molasses, liquors and all wet casks containing less than twenty-five gallons, for every load	$0 33
of twenty-five and under fifty gallons, for every four	0 35
of fifty gallons and under ninety gallons, for every two	0 40
of ninety and under one hundred and fifty gallons, for each 1,.	0 45
of one hundred and fifty gallons and upwards, for every one hundred gallons	0 50
Sugar, tobacco, copperas, and all dry casks of under one thousand pounds weight, for every load	0 33
of one thousand pounds and under fifteen hundred pounds, each,	0 40
of one thousand five hundred pounds, und under two thousand pounds, each	0 50
of two thousand pounds and upwards for every one hundred lbs.	0 03
and other pondrous articles of one thousand pounds weight and upwards, at the same rate.	
Hay, loose, per load	1 00
Bricks, when handled and piled, per load	0 40
Hoop poles, loose, per load	0 50
Timber and lumber, per load	0 35
Hemp, loose, for every one thousand two hundred pounds	0 50
Beef and pork, for every five barrels	0 33
Calves, sheep and lambs, per load	0 35
Coal, per ton	0 50
" per half chaldron	0 35
Cotton, for every three bales	0 33
Earthenware, loose, per load	0 40
Oil floor cloths, in boxes or rolls of less than ten feet in length, per load	0 33
of ten feet and less than fifteen feet in length, each	0 33
of fifteen feet and less than twenty feet in length, each	0 50
of twenty feet and less than twenty-four feet in length, each	0 65
of twenty-four feet and upwards, as may be agreed on.	
Plaster of Paris, loose, per ton	0 65
Salt, for every twenty bushels	0 33
Cut stone, per load	0 35
Slates or tiles, per load	0 35
Household furniture, loose, per load	0 45
For loading, unloading and houseing furniture, in the removal of families, extra per load	0 50
Beddings, tied up, chests, trunks and boxes, per load	0 33
Cassia, in mats, per one hundred mats,	0 25
Anchors of under three hundred pounds weight, per load	0 33
" of three hundred pounds weight and upwards, per one hundred pounds	0 10

Chain cables of under one thousand pounds weight, per load	0 40
Chain cables of one thousand pounds weight and upwards, per one hundred pounds	0 05
Iron, hollow-ware, per load	0 35
Iron and steel, per load	0 40
Fish, dry, per load	0 50
And for every load of goods, wares, merchandise, or other things not enumerated	0 33

Provided, that when the distance exceeds half a mile, and is within a mile, one-third more shall be added to the above rates and prices, and in the same proportion for any greater distance. And if any public cartman shall ask, demand, receive, take, exact or extort any greater rate, price, pay or compensation, for carting or transporting any article or thing whatsoever, than is mentioned, allowed, expressed and limited, as aforesaid, it shall not be lawful for him to receive any compensation for the said carting or transportation, and the such asking or receiving shall be deemed a violation of this ordinance.

It shall not be lawful for any public cartmen to neglect or refuse to carry and transport a good and sufficient load, as much as can be conveniently and safely stowed on his cart, or is reasonable for one horse to draw, nor any article of less than two thousand pounds weight, when required so to do, unless he be then actually otherwise employed; and every public cartman and public porter shall be entitled to be paid the legal rate or compensation allowed and provided in this ordinance, immediately upon the carting or transportation of any article or thing; and it may be lawful for any such public cartman or public porter, to retain any article or thing so carted or transported by him, for which he is not so paid his cartage, and to convey the same without delay to the office of the Chief of Police, and he shall be entitled to the lawful rate of pay or compensation for the so conveying. All disputes or disagreements as to distance or rates of compensation, between public cartmen or public porters, and persons employing or owing them for cartage or transportation, shall be determined by the Mayor.

It shall not be lawful for any public cartman, or any other person, to cart or transport through any of the streets of said city, any poles, plank, spars, timber or other thing exceeding thirty feet in length, except on a suitable truck or other vehicle, and such plank or other thing be placed lengthwise thereon, so as not to project at either end beyond the line of the side or width of such truck or other vehicle; and all persons so carting or transporting any such poles, plank, timber, spars, or other things, in any other manner, shall be deemed guilty of a violation of this article.

It shall not be lawful for the driver or other person having charge of any public cart, dirt-cart, or any other vehicle, to be off or away from any such cart, or any other vehicle, while the same is moving or passing along any of the streets or avenues of said city; nor shall it be lawful for any public cartman, while waiting for employment at any place assigned for his cart, to stand waiting for employment, or at any other place, to snap or flourish his whip, or to be away from his cart, unless from necessity or on business, or to set or stand about the door-steps or platforms in front of any house, store or other building, to the annoyance of the occupants thereof.

It shall not be lawful for any person, who has been licensed to keep public carts, or to be a public cartman, and whose license has been suspended or revoked by the Mayor, to keep, drive or use any public cart in the city of New York, under the penalty of twenty-five dollars for every such offence.

The stanchions of every public cart employed in the transportation of any fire wood, shall be shouldered with a band of iron around the part which enters the mortice, and the mortice cased with iron so as to prevent

the wearing of the stanchion or mortice; and at least three feet distant from the floor of the cart, there shall be fixed across from one stanchion to the other an iron chain, so as to prevent the stanchions from spreading, and no public cartman shall cart any fire wood in violation of any of these provisions.

It shall not be lawful for any person to keep, drive, use or employ, any cart, wagon, truck, dray, or other vehicle, other than such as are licensed as herein provided, for the transportation or conveyance of any article or thing, from place to place in the city of New York, unless the name and residence or place of business, where such owner can be found [of the owner thereof,] be fairly and distinctly painted with red paint, on a white ground, in plain letter and figures, at least two and a half inches long, in a conspicuous place, on both sides of such cart or other vehicle, so as at all times to be easily seen thereon.

LAW TO REGULATE PUBLIC PORTERS.

1. The Mayor shall license and appoint as many and such persons as he may think expedient, to be public porters of the city of New York, and revoke or suspend any or all of such licenses at his pleasure; and it shall not be lawful for any person to use any wheelbarrow or hand-cart to carry, transport or convey baggage, goods, or other things from place to place within said city, for hire, wages or pay for such conveyance, or to be at any hotel, boarding house, ferry, steamboat landing, railroad station or depot, and solicit of strangers, travelers, citizens or other persons, or accept the conveyance of baggage or other articles, without being licensed as aforesaid by the Mayor.

This section shall not be construed to prevent any person keeping, or employed in, any hotel or boarding house, from conveying any baggage or other articles to or from such hotel or boarding house, and using a hand-cart or wheelbarrow therefor; provided the name of the hotel or boarding house, and the keeper thereof, be painted distinctly on both sides of such wheelbarrow or hand-cart, and on a badge worn on the front of his hat or cap, so as to be easily and distinctly seen.

2. All licenses to public porters, granted as aforesaid, shall run one year from the date thereof; and may be renewed by the Mayor at any time within the said year, for a succeeding year.

3. Every person receiving a license to be a public porter, as aforesaid, shall pay to the Mayor, for the use of the city, one dollar; and a further sum of seventy-five cents upon the renewal of every such license.

4. Every public porter shall wear, in a conspicuous place about his person, so as to be easily seen, a brass plate, or badge, on which shall be engraved his name, the words "public porter," and the number of his license: and it shall be unlawful for any other person to wear or exhibit any badge purporting to be, resembling, or similar to, the badge of a public porter; and no public porter shall permit any other person to wear his badge or use his name in any way whatever, in the transportation or conveyance of any thing.

5. Public porters shall be entitled to charge and receive for the carrying or conveyance of any article, any distance within half a mile, twelve cents, if carried by hand, and twenty-five cents, if carried on a wheel-bar-

row or hand-cart; if the distance exceeds half a mile and is within one mile, one-half of the above rates in addition thereto, and in the same proportion for any greater distance.

6. If any public porter shall ask or demand any greater rate of pay or compensation for the carrying or conveyance of any articles than is herein provided, he shall not be entitled to any pay for the said service; and to so ask, demand or receive any such greater pay or compensation, shall be deemed a violation of this ordinance.

7. It shall not be lawful for any person to represent himself as, or to wear or exhibit any badge, inscription, card or device, purporting or implying that he is employed or authorized by the keeper, proprietors, agent or officer of any hotel, boarding-house, vessel, steamboat or railroad company, to solicit, receive or convey persons, baggage or other things to or from any such hotel, boarding-house, vessel, steamboat or railroad company's station or depot, without being actually and duly authorized by such keeper, proprietor, officer or agent so to do, under the penalty of twenty-five dollars for every offence.

All persons who shall violate or fail to comply with any of the provisions of this ordinance, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be punished, pursuant to the provisions of sections 20 and 21 of an act relative to the powers of the Common Council of the city of New York and the criminal courts of said city, passed by the Legislature of the state of New York, January 23d, 1833;—or in lieu thereof shall forfeit and pay, for the use of said city, ten dollars for each and every offence, except where a penalty is prescribed in said ordinance.

RATES OF FARE
OF HACKNEY COACHES AND CARRIAGES.

1. For conveying a passenger any distance not exceeding one mile, twenty-five cents; for conveying two passengers the same distance, fifty cents, or twenty-five cents each; and every additional passenger, twenty-five cents.

2. For conveying a passenger any distance exceeding a mile, and within two miles, fifty cents; and for every additional passenger, twenty-five cents.

3. For conveying one passenger to the new Alms House, fifty cents; and for returning, fifty-cents; for conveying two passengers the same distance, seventy-five cents for the two; and twenty-five cents going and twenty-five cents returning, for every additional passenger.

4. For conveying one passenger to Forty-second street, and remaining half an hour and returning, one dollar; and for every additional passenger, twenty-five cents.

5. For carrying one passenger to Sixty-first street, and remaining three-quarters of an hour and returning, one dollar and fifty cents; and for every additional passenger, thirty-seven and a half cents.

6. For conveying one passenger to Eighty-sixth street, and remaining an hour and returning, two dollars; and for every additional passenger, fifty cents.

7. For conveying one or more passengers to Harlem, and returning, with the privilege of remaining three hours, four dollars.

8. For conveying one or more passengers to King's Bridge, and returning, with the privilege of keeping the carriage all day, five dollars.

9. For the use of a hackney coach or carriage, by the day, with one or more passengers, five dollars.

10. For the use of a hackney coach or carriage, by the hour, with one or more passengers, with the privilege of going from place to place, and of stopping as often as may be required, as follows, viz:—for the first hour, one dollar; for the second hour, seventy-five cents; and for every succeeding hour, fifty-cents.

11. For children between two and fourteen years of age, half-price only is to be charged; and for children under two years of age, no charge is to be made.

12. Whenever a hackney coach or carriage shall be detained, excepting as aforesaid, the owner or driver shall be allowed after the rate of seventy-five cents for an hour, thirty-seven and a half cents for each and every subsequent hour, and so on in proportion for any part of the first and subsequent hour which the same may be so detained.

13. For attending a funeral within the lamp and watch district, two dollars, and the Potter's Field, three dollars; which charge shall include for the necessary detention and returning with passengers.

14. Every driver or owner of a hackney coach, carriage or cab, shall carry, transport, and convey in and upon his coach, carriage or cab, in addition to the person or persons therein, one trunk, valise, saddle-bag, carpet-bag, portmanteau, or box, if he be requested so to do, for each passenger, without charge or compensation therefor; but for every trunk or other such article above named, more than one for each passenger, he shall be entitled to demand and receive the sum of six cents. (Passed May 10, 1845.)

15. In case of disagreement as to distance or price, the same shall be determined by the Mayor or Superintendent of hackney coaches and carriages.

16. The owner of any hackney coach or carriage shall not demand or receive any pay for the conveyance of any passenger, unless the number of the carriage, and the rates and prices of fare, shall be fixed and placed in the manner hereinafter directed by section second, of title fourth, of this ordinance. Complaints of any violation of the hackney coach or carriage law can be made at the Mayor's office, City Hall, or at the office of Chief of Police, Park.

FOREIGN CONSULS RESIDING IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

COUNTRY.	NAME.	OFFICE.
Argentine Confederation	Carlos de Alvear, Minister Plenipotentiary	773 Broadway.
	Schuyler Livingston, Consul	24 Beaver street.
Austria	August Belmont, Consul General	76 Beaver street.
Baden	J. W. Schmidt	56 New street.
	Florentin Schmidt, Vice Consul	56 New street.
Bavaria	George H. Simeon	149 Broadway.
Belgium	Auguste Moxhet, Consul General	E. 25th st., nr. 4th av.
	Hyppolyte Mali, Vice Consul	27 Beaver street.
Brazil	Louis H. F. De Aguiar, Consul General	34 Platt street.
	Louis F. Defiganiere, Vice Consul	34 Platt street.
Bremen	Edwin A. Oelrichs	80 Broad street.
Brunswick	G. I. Bechtel, Jr., Consul General	17 South William st.
Chili	Theodore W. Riley	42 South street.
Denmark	Andreas A. Meincke, Vice Consul	93 Wall street.
France	Felix Lacoste	4 State street.
	Louis Borg, Vice Consul	4 State street.
Frankfort	Frederick Wissman	5 Hanover street.
Great Britain	Anthony Barclay	58 Barclay street.
	Robert Bunch, Vice Consul	58 Barclay street.
Greece		
Hamburg	Ferdinand Karck	57 Broad street.
Hanover	Lewis H. Meyer	76 Beaver street.
	Edward Stucken, Vice Consul	76 Beaver street.

Hesse Darmstadt	Anthony Bollermann	156 Broadway.
Hesse, Electorate of	Conrad W. Faber	40 New street.
Lubec	Fred. A. Schumacher	38 New street.
Mecklenburgh	Charles A. Heckscher	45 South street.
Mexico	Wm. George Stewart	74 Broadway.
Montevideo	John L. Darby	83 Wall street.
	G. F. Darby, Vice Consul	96 Wall street.
Naples	Rocco Martuscelli, Charge d'Affaires	18 Beaver street.
	Sebastiano Dacorsi, (*acting*)	18 Beaver street.
Nassau	William A. Kobbe, Consul General	29 William street.
Netherlands	John C. Zimmermann	24 Exchange place.
New Grenada	Gregorio Dominguez	103 Pearl street.
Nicaragua	Amory Edwards, Consul General	122 Pearl street.
	Calvin Durand, Counsel	71 South street.
Norway	C. Edward Habicht, Consul	94 Wall street.
Oldenburg	E. Pavenstedt	38 New street.
Peru	Thomas Galwey	76 Broad street.
Portugal	Henry C. De La Figaniere, Vice Consul	81 Front street.
Prussia	J. W. Schmidt	56 New street.
Roman States	Louis B. Binsse	43 John street.
Russia	Alexis Eustaphieve, Consul General	107 Tenth street.
	George E. Kunhardt, Vice Consul	69 West street.
Sardinia	Louis Mossi, Charge d'Affaires	
	Charles Ferrero, Vice Consul	339 Broadway.
Saxe Altenburgh	Carl Hinrichs	75 Pine street.
Saxe Coburg and Gotha	Carl Hinrichs	75 Pine street.
Saxe Weimar	Edward Stucken	34 New street.
Saxony	John W. Schmidt	56 New street.
Sicily	Sebastiana Dacorsi	18 Beaver street.
Spain	Francisco Stoughton	115 Leonard street.
Sweden	C Edward Habicht, Consul	94 Wall street.
Switzerland	Louis P. De Luze	43 New street.
Tuscany	William H. Aspinwall, Vice Consul	55 South street.
Venezuela	Thomas Williams	1 Bridge street.
Wurtemberg	Leopold Bierwirth	40 New street.

GENERAL INFORMATION.

INSTITUTIONS.	WHERE LOCATED.
Alms House	Blackwell's Island
American Art-Union	497 Broadway
American Institute	351 Broadway
Arsenal, (New York State,)	Fifth avenue
Bloomingdale Asylum, (for the insane,)	117th street, west side of 10th avenue
City Prison	Bounded by Centre, Elm, Leonard and Franklin streets
Columbia College	Foot of Park place
Court of Sessions	Halls of Justice, Centre street
College of Physicians and Surgeons	66 Crosby street
Deaf and Dumb Institute	Fiftieth street, corner of Fourth avenue
Debtor's Prison	22 Eldridge street
Dispensary, New York City	114 White street, corner of Centre
Dispensary, Eastern	Ludlow street, corner of Essex Market place
Dispensary, Northern	Waverley place, corner of Christopher street
Eye and Ear Infirmary	47 Howard street
House of Refuge	Foot of Twenty-third street, East river
Lunatic Asylum	Blackwell's Island
Lyceum of Natural History	561 Broadway
Medical College of the New York University	659 Broadway
Mercantile Library Association	Clinton Hall, 133 Nassau street
Merchants' Exchange	Wall street, corner of William
Mechanics' Exchange	7 Broad street
Mechanics' Institute	105 Bowery
Museum, (American,)	Broadway, corner of Ann street
New York Society Library	348 Broadway
National Academy of Design	Broadway, near Bond street
New York City Hospital	319 Broadway
New York Institution for the Blind	Ninth avenue, near Thirty-third street
New York Public School Society	140 Grand street, corner of Elm
New York University	Wooster street, corner of Waverley place
New York Historical Society	Library in N. Y. University, Wash. square
New York Law Institute	New City Hall
New York Lyceum	East Fourteenth street, near Third avenue
Orphan Asylum	Bloomingdale, near Eighteenth street
Penitentiary	Blackwell's Island
Rutgers' Female Institute	244 Madison street, near Clinton
Stuyvesant Institute	659 Broadway

NEWSPAPERS EMPLOYED BY THE CORPORATION.

New York Evening Post	18 Nassau street
" Commercial Advertiser	Pine street, corner of William street
" Express	Wall street, corner of Nassau street
" Tribune	Corner of Spruce and Nassau streets

CUSTOM HOUSE.

1851.

Hugh Maxwell, *Collector.*
Isaac S. Hone, *Deputy Collector.*
Chas P. Clinch, *Deputy Collector.*
Henry Calhoun, *Deputy Collector.*
William G. King, *Deputy Collector.*
Moses F. Odell, *Deputy Collector.*
John S. Maxwell, *Cashier.*
Wm. D. Robinson, *Ass't Cashier.*
Samuel G. Ogden, Jr., *Auditor.*
John W. Hunter, *Assistant Auditor.*
D. A. Bockee, *Naval Officer.*
C. S. Franklin, *Dep. Naval Officer.*
Robert S. Hone, *Dep. Naval Officer.*
J. H. Pinckney, *Auditor.*

Zebedee Ring, *Surveyor.*
G. H. Lynch, *Deputy Surveyor.*
J. S. Van Buskirk, *Out-door Surveyor.*
Matthias B. Edgar, *Appraiser.*
G. G. Campbell, *Appraiser.*
Cornelius Savage, *Appraiser.*
F. A. Huntington, *Ass't Appraiser.*
Simeon Hyde, *Assistant Appraiser.*
Isaac Phillips, *Assistant Appraiser.*
Wm. W. Thomas, *Ass't Appraiser.*
Edward Vincent, *Ass't Appraiser.*
Aaron O. King, *Storekeeper of Appraiser's Stores.*
A. J. Hamilton, *Storekeeper of the Port and District.*

Hon. John Young, *Assistant Treasurer.*

Jacob Russell, *Chief Clerk.*
Wm. R. Cooke, *Treasury Note Department.*
Edward H. Walton, *Book-keeper.*
Edward H. Birdsall, *Receiving Clerk.*
Eugene Plunkett, *Clerk.*

T. L. Bouck, *Porter.*
A. Hodges, *Watchman.*

NEW YORK POST OFFICE.

Hon. William V. Brady, *Postmaster.*
George W. Jenkins, *Assistant Postmaster.*
Cornelius Eagles, *Cashier.*

LOCATION.

The Post Office is situated in Nassau street, extending from Liberty street to Cedar street. Entrance from Cedar and Nassau streets. Mails received and delivered on Liberty street.

RATES OF POSTAGE,

BETWEEN OFFICES IN THE UNITED STATES, AND TO AND FROM CANADA, FROM AND AFTER JUNE 30, 1851.

DIRECTIONS.	WHEN PREPAID.					WHEN UNPAID.				
For every single letter in manuscript, or paper of any kind upon which information shall be asked or communicated in writing, or by marks, or signs sent by mail, the rates mentioned in this table shall be charged; and for every additional half ounce or fraction of an ounce above the weight named in this table, an additional single rate is to be charged.	Weighing ½ ounce or under, being the single rate.	Over ½ ounce, and not over 1 ounce.	Over 1 ounce, and not over 1½ ounces.	Over 1½ ounces, and not over 2 ounces.	Over 2 ounces, and not over 2½ ounces.	Weighing ½ ounce or under, being the single rate.	Over ½ ounce, and not over 1 ounce.	Over 1 ounce, and not over 1½ ounces.	Over 1½ ounces, and not over 2 ounces.	Over 2 ounces and not over, 2½ ounces.
	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
For any distance not over 3,000 miles.....	3	6	9	12	15	5	10	15	20	25
For any distance over 3,000 miles.....	6	12	18	24	30	10	20	30	40	50
To and from Canada, for any distance not over 3,000 miles.	10	20	30	40	50	10	20	30	40	50
For any distance over 3,000 miles.....	15	30	45	60	75	15	30	45	60	75

1st. Every letter or parcel not exceeding half an ounce in weight, shall be deemed a single letter or rate.

2d. All drop-letters, or letters placed in any post-office, not for transmission, but for delivery only, shall be charged postage at the rate of one cent each.

3d. Each deputy post-master, whose compensation for the last preceding fiscal year (ending the 30th June) did not exceed two hundred dollars, may send through the mail all letters *written by himself*, and receive through the mail all written communications addressed to himself, *on his private business*, which shall not exceed in weight one-half an ounce, free of postage. This does not authorize them to frank any letters unless written by themselves, and on their private business only; nor does it authorize them to receive free of postage anything but written communications addressed to themselves, and on their private business.

NOTE—From and after the 30th June, 1851, the mode of computing the rates upon inland letters—*i. e.*, letters from one office within the United States or Territories to another, and also upon letters between the United States and the British North American provinces—is to be as follows, to wit: Single rate, if not exceeding half an ounce; double rate, if exceeding half an ounce, but not exceeding an ounce; treble rate, if exceeding an ounce, but not exceeding an ounce and a half; and so on, charging an additional rate for every additional half ounce or fraction of half an ounce.

The mode of computing rates upon letters to Great Britain, and to all other foreign countries, the British North American provinces excepted, will remain as at present, under the act of 3d March, 1849, and agreeably to instructions appended to the table of foreign postages.

RATES OF POSTAGE, On Newspapers and Periodicals not exceeding three ounces in weight, per quarter, when sent from the office of publication to actual and *bona fide* subscribers, after June 30, 1851.	Daily.	Tri-weekly.	Semi-weekly.	Weekly.	Semi-monthly.	Monthly.
	Cents.	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents
For any distance not exceeding 50 miles, ..	25	15	10	5	$2\frac{1}{2}$	$1\frac{1}{4}$
Over 50 miles and not " 300 " ..	50	30	20	10	5	$2\frac{1}{2}$
" 300 " " " 1,000 " ..	75	45	30	15	$7\frac{1}{2}$	$3\frac{3}{4}$
" 1,000 " " " 2,000 " ..	100	60	40	20	10	5
" 2,000 " " " 4,000 " ..	125	75	50	25	$12\frac{1}{2}$	$6\frac{1}{4}$
" 4,000 "	150	90	60	30	15	$7\frac{1}{2}$

1st. Weekly papers only, when sent as above stated, are to be delivered free in the county where they are published; and this although conveyed in the mail over fifty miles.

2d. Newspapers containing not over three hundred square inches, are to be charged one-quarter the above rates.

3d. Publishers of newspapers are allowed to exchange, free of postage, one copy of each number only; and this privilege extends to newspapers published in Canada.

4th. The weight of newspapers must be taken or determined, when they are in a dry state.

5th. Postmasters are not entitled to receive newspapers free of postage under their franking privilege.

6th. Payment in advance does not entitle the party paying to any deduction from the above rates.

RATES OF POSTAGE

Upon all transient newspapers, and every other description of printed matter, except newspapers and periodicals published at intervals not exceeding three months, and sent from the office of publication to actual and *bona fide* subscribers.

NOTE.—For each additional ounce, or fractional part of an ounce, beyond the ten ounces embraced in this table, an additional rate must be charged	Weighing one ounce or under.	Over one ounce, and not over two ounces.	Over two ounces, and not over three ounces.	Over three ounces, and not over four ounces.	Over four ounces, and not over five ounces.	Over five ounces, and not over six ounces.	Over six ounces, and not over seven ounces.	Over seven ounces and not over eight ounces.	Over eight ounces and not over nine ounces.	Over nine ounces, and not over ten ounces.
	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
When sent not over five hundred miles	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Over 500 and not over 1,500	2	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	18	20
Over 1,500 and not over 2,500	3	6	9	12	15	18	21	24	27	30
Over 2,500 and not over 3,500	4	8	12	16	20	24	28	32	36	40
Over 3,500 miles	5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50

1. On every transient newspaper, unsealed circular, handbill, engraving, pamphlet, periodical, magazine, book, and every other description of printed matter, the above rates must in all cases be pre-paid, according to the weight.

2. Whenever any printed matter on which the postage is required to be prepaid, shall, through the inattention of the Postmasters, or otherwise, be sent without pre-payment, the same shall be charged with double the above rates.

3. Bound books and parcels of printed matter, not weighing over thirty-two ounces, shall be deemed mailable matter.

Periodicals published at intervals, not exceeding three months, and sent from the office of publication to actual and *bona fide* subscribers, are to be charged with one half the rates mentioned in the last above table, and pre-payment of a quarter's postage thereon must in all cases be required. Periodicals published at intervals of more than three months, are charged with full rate, which must be pre-paid.*

NOTE.—In case there is on or in any newspaper, periodical, pamphlet or other printed matter or paper connected therewith, any manuscript of any kind by which information shall be asked for, or communicated in writing, or by marks or signs, the said newspaper, periodical, pamphlet, or other printed matter becomes subject to letter postage ; and it is the duty of the Postmaster to remove the wrappers and envelopes from all printed matter and pamphlets not charged with letter postage, for the purpose of ascertaining whether there is upon or connected with any such printed matter, or in such package, any matter or thing which would authorize or require the charge of a higher rate of postage thereon.

Any manuscript communication whatever, connected with a newspaper, pamphlet, &c., beyond the direction, makes the same liable to letter postage.

The following table will show the vast amount of business carried on in the New York Post Office for the quarter ending June 30, 1851 :

STEAMER MAILS SENT.		STEAMER MAILS RECEIVED.	
California	119,974	California	114,353
Bremen and Havre	108,105	Bremen and Havre	69,957
Collins' steamers	109,416	Collins' steamers	103,693
Cunard do	213,296	Cunard do	222,067
Private ships	11,304	Private ships	22,960
Amounting to	562,095	Amounting to	531,030
letters ; and newspapers	250,095	letters ; and newspapers	415,522

Total, 1,093,125 letters, and 655,417 newspapers.

To the above amount of letters, add the daily average correspondence and it will give about 6,098,125 letters that have passed through this office during the last quarter.

The average number of daily mails made up and despatched for the same quarter is about, 4,900 ; and about the same number are received, assorted and delivered or distributed daily.

The number of letters advertised for the quarter is 46,114, about one-fourth of which have been delivered to the proper owners, and the remaining three-fourths sent to the dead letter office, at Washington.

The number of dead letters received at this office from the dead letter

* Since these instructions issued, the Postmaster General has decided that any subscription for a period of less than three months, will be charged transient rates.

office at Washington for the same quarter, and containing property of value, consisting of moneys, in various sums, bills of exchange, &c., for amounts ranging from $5 to $20,000, is 1,296, 830 of which have been delivered to the proper parties, and the remaining 466 have been unclaimed, were returned to dead letter office.

In addition to the above, must be taken into consideration the enormous quantity of domestic papers daily passing through the office, as exchanges and to subscribers, and the reader may then form only a slight estimate of the very great quantity of work transacted in the Post office. This vast amount of business, which allows of no interruption or postponement, is transacted by eighty-seven clerks; eighty-one commence their labors at half past five o'clock in the morning and remain on duty until five o'clock, P. M., when six night clerks go on duty and remain until five o'clock in the morning.

Mr. William B. Taylor is at the head of the department embracing the entire city delivery.

Mr. J. H. Hallett has charge of the alphabet and carrier's delivery.

Seymour J. Strong has charge of the box delivery.

George G. Coffin is at the head of the foreign letter department.

Monson Clark is general superintendent of the office, receiving and sending off all mails.

Thomas J. Clark is at the head of the newspaper delivery.

SPEAKERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

FROM ITS ORGANIZATION UNDER THE CONSTITUTION TO THE PRESENT TIME.

Frederick Muhlenburgh, Pennsylvania	1789 to 1791
John Trumbull, Connecticut	1791 to 1793
Frederick A. Muhlenburgh, Pennsylvania	1793 to 1797
Jonathan Dayton, New Jersey	1797 to 1798
Theodore Sedgwick, Massachusetts	1793 to 1801
Nathaniel Macon, North Carolina	1801 to 1807
Joseph B. Varnum, Massachusetts	1807 to 1811
Henry Clay, Kentucky	1811 to 1814
Langdon Cheves, South Carolina	1814 to 1815
Henry Clay, Kentucky	1815 to 1820
John W. Taylor, New York	1820 to 1821
Philip P. Barbour, Virginia	1821 to 1823
Henry Clay, Kentucky	1823 to 1825
John W. Taylor, New York	1825 to 1827
Andrew Stevenson, Virginia	1827 to 1835
John Bell, Tennessee	1835 to 1837
James K. Polk, Tennessee	1837 to 1839
Robert M. T. Hunter, Virginia	1839 to 1841
John White, Kentucky	1841 to 1843
John W. Jones, Virginia	1843 to 1845
John W. Davis, Indiana	1845 to 1847
Robert C. Winthrop, Massachusetts	1847 to 1849
Howell Cobb, Georgia	1849 to 1851

NAMES OF SPEAKERS

OF THE ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, FROM 1777 TO 1851.

SESSIONS.	NAME.	WHEN ELECTED.
1....	Walter Livingston	September 10th, 1777
2....	Walter Livingston	October ...13th, 1778
3....	Evert Bancker	August....18th, 1779
4....	Evert Bancker	September 7th, 1780
5....	Evert Bancker	October ...24th, 1781
6....	Evert Bancker	July 11th, 1782
7....	John Hathorn	January ...21st, 1783
8....	John Hathorn	October...15th, 1784
9....	John Lansing, Jr.	January...13th, 1786
10....	Richard Varick	" ...12th, 1787
11....	Richard Varick	" ... 9th, 1788
12....	John Lansing, Jr.	December..11th, 1788
13....	Gulian Ver Planck	July..... 6th, 1791
14....	John Watts	January... 5th, 1791
15....	John Watts	" ... 4th, 1792
16....	John Watts	November. 6th, 1792
17....	James Watson	January... 7th, 1794
18....	William North	" ... 6th, 1795
19....	William North	" ... 6th, 1796
20....	Gulian Ver Plank	November. 1st, 1796
21....	Dirck Ten Broeck	January... 2d, 1798
22....	Dirck Ten Broeck	August.... 9th, 1798
23....	Dirck Ten Broeck	January...28th, 1800
24....	Samuel Osgood	November. 4th, 1800
25....	Thomas Storm	January...26th, 1802
26....	Thomas Storm	" ...25th, 1803
27....	Alexander Sheldon	" ...31st, 1804
28....	Alexander Sheldon	November. 6th, 1804
29....	Alexander Sheldon	January...28th, 1806
30....	Andrew McCord	" ...27th, 1807
31....	Alexander Shelden	" ...26th, 1808
32....	James W. Wilkin	November. 1st, 1808
33....	William North	January...30th, 1810
34....	Nathan Sandford	" ...29th, 1811
35....	Alexander Sheldon	" ...28th, 1812
36....	Jacob Rutsen Van Rensselaer	November. 3d, 1812
37....	James Emott	January...25th, 1814
38....	Samuel Young	September 26th, 1814
39....	Daniel Cruger	January...13th, 1816
40....	David Woods	November. 5th, 1816
41....	David Woods	January...27th, 1818
42....	William A. Duer	" ... 5th, 1819
43....	John C. Spencer	" ... 4th, 1820
44....	Peter Sharpe	November. 7th, 1820
45....	Samuel B. Romaine	January... 1st, 1822
46....	Peter R. Livingston	" ...27th, 1823
47....	Richard Goodell	" ... 6th, 1824
48....	*Clarkson Crolius	" ... 4th, 1825

* Elected unanimously

SESSIONS.	NAME.	WHEN ELECTED.
49....	Samuel Young	January... 3d, 1826
50....	Erastus Root	" ... 2d, 1827
51....	Erastus Root	" ... 1st, 1828
52....	Peter Robinson	" ... 5th, 1829
53....	Erastus Root	" ... 5th, 1830
54....	George R. Davis	" ... 4th, 1831
55....	Charles L. Livingston	" ... 3d, 1832
56....	Charles L. Livingston	" ... 1st, 1833
57....	William Baker	" ... 7th, 1834
58....	Charles Humphrey	" ... 5th, 1835
59....	Charles Humphrey	" ... 5th, 1836
60....	Edward Livingston	" ... 3d, 1837
61....	Luther Bradish	" ... 2d, 1838
62....	George W. Patterson	" ... 1st, 1839
63....	George W. Patterson	" ... 7th, 1840
64....	Peter B. Porter, Jr.	" ... 5th, 1841
65....	Levi S. Chatfield	" ... 4th, 1842
66....	George R. Davis	" ... 2d, 1843
67....	Elisha Litchfield	" ... 2d, 1844
68....	Horatio Seymour	" ... 7th, 1845
69....	William Crain	" ... 6th, 1846
70....	William C. Hasbrouck	" ... 6th, 1847
71....	Amos K. Hadley	" ... 4th, 1848
72....	Amos K. Hadley	" ... 2d, 1849
73....	Noble S. Elderkin	" ... 1st, 1850
74....	Henry J. Raymond	" ... 7th, 1851
74....	Joseph B. Varnum, Jr. (extra session,)	June..... 1851

PRESIDENTS OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN,

FROM THE ORGANIZATION UNDER THE AMENDED CHARTER.

Samuel Stevens....1831–2
Henry Meigs....1832–3
John Y. Cebra....1833–4
James Monroe....1834–5
Isaac L. Varian....1835–6
Isaac L. Varian....*From July* 1, 1836, *to December* 28, 1836
Egbert Benson....*From December* 28, 1836, *to May* 9, 1837
Egbert Benson....1837–8
Egbert Benson....1838–9
A. V. Williams....1839–40
Elijah F. Purdy....1840–1
Elijah F. Purdy....1841–2
Caleb S. Woodhull....1842–3
Elijah F. Purdy....1843–4
Richard L. Schieffelin....1844–5
Oliver Charlick....1845–6
David S. Jackson....1846–7
Morris Franklin....1847–8
Morris Franklin....1848–9
James Kelly....*From May 8th*, 1849, *to January* 7, 1850
Morgan Morgans....1850–1

PRESIDENTS OF THE BOARD OF ASSISTANTS,

FROM THE ORGANIZATION UNDER THE AMENDED CHARTER.

James B. Murray	1831–2
Wm. Van Wyck	1832–3
Wm. Van Wyck	1833–4
Geo. W. Bruen	1834–5
James R. Whiting	1835–6
Edward Curtis	1836–7
Caleb S. Woodhull	1837–8
Caleb S. Woodhull	1838–9
Nathaniel Jarvis, Jr	1839–40
Frederick R. Lee	1840–1
Thomas R. Lee	1841–2
Wm. Adams	1842–3
Charles P. Brown	1843–4
Wm. Everdell	1844–5
Nathaniel Pearce	1845–6
Niel Gray	1846–7
Linus W. Stevens	1847–8
Wilson Small	1848–9
Edwin D. Morgan	*From May* 8, 1849, *to January* 7, 1850
Oscar W. Sturtevant	1850
Alonzo A. Alvord	1851

Census of the city as returned by the Deputy Marshal, appointed for the purpose of taking the same in the several wards, in the year 1850.

WARDS.	Inhabitants.	Dwellings.	WARDS.	Inhabitants.	Dwellings.
First	19,755	995	Eleventh	43,772	2,391
Second	6,616	431	Twelfth	10,453	1,052
Third	10,350	704	Thirteenth	28,244	1,787
Fourth	23,250	1,223	Fourteenth	25,206	1,691
Fifth	22,691	1,957	Fifteenth	22,564	2,245
Sixth	24,699	1,403	Sixteenth	52,887	4,402
Seventh	32,697	2,271	Seventeenth	43,780	2,836
Eighth	34,413	2,743	Eighteenth	31,557	2,689
Ninth	40,695	4,546	Nineteenth	18,463	1,772
Tenth	23,316	1,993			
Total				515,394	37,730

Population of the city at various periods.

1656	1,000	1810	96,373
1673	2,500	1820	123,706
1696	4,302	1825	166,086
1731	8,628	1830	202,589
1756	10,381	1835	270,089
1773	21,876	1840	312,852
1786	23,614	1845	371,223
1790	33,131	1850	515,394
1800	60,489		

AN ACCOUNT OF VOTES

AT ELECTIONS FOR GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, FROM 1789 TO 1850, FROM THE OFFICIAL RETURNS.

Years. *Candidates.*	*Votes.*	*Maj.*
1790—George Clinton	6,391	429
Robert Yates	5,962	
Total	12,353	
1792—George Clinton	8,440	108
John Jay	8,332	
Total	16,772	
1795—John Jay	13,481	1,589
Robert Yates	11,892	
Total	25,373	
1798—John Jay	16,012	2,380
Robert R. Livingston	13,632	
Total	29,644	
1801—George Clinton	24,808	3,965
Stephen Van Rensselaer	20,843	
Total	45,651	
1804—Morgan Lewis	30,829	8,690
Aaron Burr	22,139	
Total	52,968	
1807—Daniel D. Tompkins	35,074	4,085
Morgan Lewis	30,989	
Total	66,063	
1810—Daniel D. Tompkins	43,094	6,610
Jonas Platt	39,484	
Total	79,578	
1813—Daniel D. Tompkins	43,324	3,606
Stephen Van Rensselaer	33,718	
Total	83,042	
1816—*Daniel D. Tompkins	45,412	5,765
Rufus King	39,647	
Total	85,059	
1817—De Witt Clinton	43,310	41,891
Peter B. Porter	1,419	
Total	44,729	

* Resigned in 1817, being chosen Vice President of the United States.

1820—De Witt Clinton	47,447	1,157
Daniel D. Tompkins	45,990	
Total	93,437	

NEW CONSTITUTION.

1822—Joseph C. Yates	128,403	125,533
Solomon Southwick	2,910	
Total	131,403	16,371
1824—De Witt Clinton	103,454	
Samuel Young	87,083	
Total	190,537	
1826—De Witt Clinton	99,785	3,650
William B. Rochester	96,135	
Total	195,920	
1828—Martin Van Buren	136,794	31,350
Smith Thompson	105,444	
Solomon Southwick	33,345	
Total	275,583	
1830—Enos T. Throop	128,842	8,431
Francis Granger	120,361	
Ezekial Williams	2,332	
Total	251,535	
1832—William L. Marcy	166,410	9,738
Francis Granger	156,672	
Total	323,072	
1834—William L. Marcy	181,905	12,964
William H. Seward	168,969	
Total	350,874	
1836—William L. Marcy	166,122	29,474
Jesse Buel	136,648	
Isaac B. Smith	2,496	
Total	305,266	
1838—William H. Seward	192,882	10,421
William L. Marcy	182,461	
Total	375,343	
1840—William H. Seward	222,011	5,285
William C. Bouck	216,726	
Gerrit Smith	2,662	
Total	441,399	

Governor.—November, 1842.

William C. Bouck.....208,072,
Luther Bradish.....186,091,
Alvah Stewart.....7,263,

Total.....401,426 exclusive of scattering.

LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.

Daniel S. Dickinson.....207,736,
Gabriel Furman.....186,008,
Charles O. Shepard.....7,579,

Total.....401,323, exclusive of scattering.

Bouck's plurality.....21,981 Majority.....14,718
Dickinson's " .....21,718 " 14,040

November—1844.

GOVERNOR.		LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.	
Silas Wright	241,000	Addison Gardiner	240,844
Millard Fillmore	231,057	Samuel J. Wilkins	231,048
Alvah Stewart	15,136	Charles O. Shepard	15,386

Plurality for Silas Wright.....10,033
" " Addison Gardiner.....9,796

November, 1846.

GOVERNOR.		LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.	
John Young	198,878	Addison Gardiner,	200,970
Silas Wright	187,306	Hamilton Fish	187,613
Henry Bradley	12,844	William M. Chaplain	13,901
Ogden Edwards	6,305	George Folsom	6,133

Plurality for John Young.....11,572
" " Addison Gardiner.....13,357

November, 1847.

Hamilton Fish received.....170,072 votes.
Nathan Dayton " .....139,623 "
Charles O. Shepard " .....13,429 "

November, 1848.

GOVERNOR.		LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.	
Hamilton Fish	218,776	G. W. Patterson	222,195
Reuben H. Walworth	116,811	Charles O'Conor	116,907
John A. Dix	122,889	Seth M. Gates	113,667
William Goodell	1,593	Robert Anderson	1,520

Plurality for Hamilton Fish.....95,887.
" " G. W. Patterson.....105,288.

November, 1850.

Washington Hunt	214,614	George J. Cornell	210,695
Horatio Seymour	214,352	Sanford E. Church	218,009
Scattering	3,627	Scattering	4,226

STATEMENT OF VOTES,

GIVEN FOR CITY JUDGE, DISTRICT ATTORNEY, AND GOVERNOR OF THE ALMS HOUSE, NOVEMBER, 1850.

WARDS.	CITY JUDGE.		WARDS.	DIST. ATT'Y.		GOVERNOR ALMS HOUSE.	
	W. R. Beebe.	Thos. W. Clerke.		N. Bowditch Blunt.	John Graham.	John S. Herrick.	Patrick Henry.
First	599	759	First	640	759	631	765
Second	325	410	Second	381	372	370	391
Third	1,170	454	Third	1,300	493	1,276	504
Fourth	320	1,342	Fourth	379	1,317	372	1,296
Fifth	1,074	838	Fifth	1,148	815	1,166	816
Sixth	543	1,112	Sixth	422	1,089	407	1,003
Seventh	1,538	1,251	Seventh	1,631	1,202	1,645	1,208
Eighth	1,760	1,259	Eighth	1,878	1,238	1,849	1,252
Ninth	1,884	1,403	Ninth	2,106	1,433	2,078	1,439
Tenth	1,226	1,085	Tenth	1,298	1,097	1,293	1,085
Eleventh	1,086	1,536	Eleventh	1,167	1,542	1,164	1,536
Twelfth	394	403	Twelfth	433	366	428	372
Thirteenth	943	983	Thirteenth	1,059	973	1,048	972
Fourteenth	614	1,257	Fourteenth	672	1,252	663	1,262
Fifteenth	1,539	570	Fifteenth	1,708	483	1,714	492
Sixteenth	1,649	1,624	Sixteenth	1,759	1,582	1,735	1,601
Seventeenth	1,738	1,502	Seventeenth	1,841	1,449	1,836	1,440
Eighteenth	1,401	857	Eighteenth	1 538	848	1,521	847
Nineteenth	793	682	Nineteenth	816	667	806	675
	20,396	19,327		22,176	18,975	22,002	18,956
Scattering	35		Scattering	17		Scat'g	20

STATEMENT OF VOTES

GIVEN IN THE VARIOUS CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS OF THIS CITY, NOVEMBER, 1850.

Third District.—1st, 2d, 3d, 4th and 5th Wards—

Emanuel B. Hart	3,679
James Bowen	1,755
John F. Rodman	2,164

Fourth District.—6th, 7th, 10th and 13th Wards—

J. H. H. Haws	4,155
Joseph M. Marsh	3,336
Dominick McGrath	541

Fifth District.—8th, 9th and 14th Wards—

George Briggs....4,444
Henry Arcularius....4,114
Scattering....36

Sixth District —11th, 12th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th and 19th Wards—

James Brooks....8,357
John Cochran....6,724
George W. Blunt....219

VOTE FOR MAYOR.

WARDS.	KINGSLAND.	WOOD.
First	661	777
Second	379	366
Third	1,329	403
Fourth	371	1,287
Fifth	1,212	752
Sixth	417	1,159
Seventh	1,680	1,104
Eighth	1,909	1,141
Ninth	2,020	1,265
Tenth	1,327	1,001
Eleventh	1,187	1,483
Twelfth	404	394
Thirteenth	1,050	939
Fourteenth	710	1,208
Fifteenth	1,748	406
Sixteenth	1,339	1,490
Seventeenth	1,904	1,358
Eighteenth	1,536	849
Nineteenth	796	670
Total	22,479	18,052
Scattering	324	

STATEMENT OF VOTES

FOR ASSISTANT ALDERMEN, NOVEMBER 5, 1850.

First Ward.

Curtis Judson....591 James Lee....7
Abraham Moore....770 William Flagg....5
Bill Taylor....2.

Second Ward.

Dudley Haley....409 Edwin J. Mercer....344

Third Ward.

Alderman in place of James E. Wood, resigned:

Oscar W. Sturtevant	1,026	J. Depuyster Ogden	386
Elisha Ruckman	314.		

Assistant Aldermen:

Samuel R. Mabbatt	799	Henry J. Mabbatt	311
Amos T. Gavitt	605	Blank	6
Scattering	2.		

Fourth Ward.

Florence McCarthy	1,014	William Sheridan	436
James McChester	258.		

Fifth Ward.

John Boyce	1,036	James L. Waugh	28
John Johnson	883	Dewey Fay	1

Sixth Ward.

Thos. J. Barr	826	Michael McLaughlin	502
Joseph Carlisle	294.		

Seventh Ward.

John B. Webb	1,577	Wm. M. Tweed	1,222
Scattering	3.		

Eighth Ward.

James Webb	1,707	James Fowler	35
Charles H. Ring	1,299	Scattering	4

Ninth Ward.

Chas. Crane	1,581	John McLean	396
Wm. J. Brisley	1,134	Stephen H. Hopper	187
Horace N. Gallup	294	John Pursoll	1

Tenth Ward.

David Miller	1,321	Charles Francis	1,079
Miller Miller	1.		

Eleventh Ward.

Wesley Smith	1,549	Peter Boyce	83
Wm. T. Mackrell	1,191	Blank	1

Twelfth Ward.

Daniel F. Tieman	426	Geo. W. Jenkins	385

Thirteenth Ward.

John Pearsall	1,040	Edward L. Donnelly	390
Daniel P. Sammis	570	Wm. Merrifield	10

Fourteenth Ward.

Robert A. Sands	686	Morris Miller	627
Timothy Daly	431	Hugh Cunningham	190
James Webb	1.		

Fifteenth Ward.

Sylvester L. H. Ward	1,633	James Quarry	409
Blank	1.		

Sixteenth Ward.

Henry B. Bolster	1,713	Elias Whitehead	139
Charles Lent	1,457	Thomas McSorley	2
A. A. Denman	2.		

Seventeenth Ward.

Nathan C. Ely	1,734	Wm. H. Cornell	1,532
Scattering	6		

Eighteenth Ward.

Alonzo A. Alvord	1,487	R. F. Carman	407
Wm. Ward	444	Henry A. Warts	2

Nineteenth Ward.

ALDERMAN.

Wm. A. Dooley	813	Moses Jackson	1
Moses W. S. Jackson	625	M. S. Jackson	1
Lawrence R. Kerr,	15	Moses C. Edwards	1
J. Lozier	1.		

ASSISTANT ALDERMAN.

Moses C. Edwards	793	John S. Rillins	15
John Doherty	647	Scattering	1

STATEMENT OF VOTES

GIVEN FOR MEMBERS OF ASSEMBLY IN THE VARIOUS ASSEMBLY DISTRICTS OF THIS CITY, NOV. 1850.

1st Assembly District.—First and Second Wards—

George W. Elener	936
Albert A. Thompson	1,159
Scattering	10

2d Assembly District.—Third and Sixth Wards—

Chas. R. Swords	1,715
Isaiah Rynders	1,267
Scattering	33

3d Assembly District.—Fourth Ward—

Chas. A. Dana	293
Henry J. Allen	1,316

4th Assembly District —Fifth Ward—

Abraham Wakeman	1,074
Lyman Candee	817
Wm. H. Meeks	27
Scattering	4

5th Assembly District.—Seventh Ward—

Thos. Truslow	864
Smith J. Eastman	730
Michael Dougherty	1,142
Scattering	16

6th Assembly District.—Eighth Ward—

Wyllis Blackstone	1,794
Wm. B. Aitkin	1,258
Scattering	7

7th Assembly District.—Ninth Ward—

Henry J. Raymond	1,825
James D. Potter	1,183
Park H. Lane	152
John Stevens	270
Scattering	20

8th Assembly District.—Tenth Ward—

Sanford S. Macomber	1,272
Smith Crooker	1,046
Scattering	9

9th Assembly District.—Eleventh Ward—

John Ryan	1,122
John B. Brennan	957
Lewis Dingee	596
Wm. Bennett	56
Scattering	9

10th Assembly District.—Twelfth and Nineteenth Wards—

Lebbeus B. Ward	1,179
Frederick E. Westbrook	1,053
Elijah Blakeman	23
Scattering	4

11th Assembly District.—Thirteenth Ward—

James Dewey	977
Richard C. Downing	556
Gilbert C. Dean	439
Scattering	20

12th Assembly District.—Fourteenth Ward—

Wm. S. Gregory	645
Michael O'Conner	599
Mike Walsh	630
Scattering	9

13th Assembly District.—Fifteenth Ward—

Joseph B Varnum, Jr.	1,608
Charles D. Mead	459
Scattering	6

14th Assembly District.—Sixteenth Ward—

George Clark	1,715
Ira B. Davis	1,506
George G. Mitchell	55
Scattering	16

15th Assembly District.—Seventeenth Ward—

John J. Townsend	1,767
William V. Barr	1,400
Charles Whiting	13
Scattering	15

16th Assembly District —Eighteenth Ward—

William D. Green	1,159
Samuel Bradhurst	586
James H. Suydam	496
Scattering	11

Popular Vote for President—1848.	
Taylor	1,360,752
Cass	1,219,962
Van Buren	291,342
	2,872,056

Electoral Votes for President and Vice President.	
*Taylor	163
Cass	127
Fillmore	163
W. O. Butler	127

HARBOR MASTERS OF THE PORT OF NEW YORK.

A. H. Schultz,
O. Brennan,
G. Fountain,
C. Chamberlain,
H. Kip,
C. G. Dean,
J. Hyer,
J. E. Wood,
A. Van Orden,
L. C. Ryder,
F. B. Spinola.

PAINTINGS

In the Governor's Room, City Hall.

1.	Governor	Lewis	Painted by	Trumbull.	
2.	"	Tompkins	"	"	"
3.	"	Clinton	"	"	Catlin.
4.	"	Yates	"	"	Vanderlyn.
5.	"	Van Buren	"	"	Inman.
6.	"	Throop	"	"	Weir.
7.	"	Marcy	"	"	Paige.
8.	"	Seward	"	"	Inman.
9.	"	Bouck	"	"	Elliott.
10.	"	Wright	"	"	Whitehorne.
11.	"	Young	"	"	H. P. Gray.

1.	Mayor	Duane	Painted by		——
2.	"	Varick	"	"	——
3.	"	Livingston	"	"	——
4.	"	Clinton	"	"	Parmecelli.
5.	"	Willett	"	"	Waldo.
6.	"	Radcliffe	"	"	"
7.	"	Colden	"	"	Vanderlyn.
8.	"	Allen	"	"	Waldo & Jewett.
9.	"	Paulding	"	"	Morse.
10.	"	Hone	"	"	Vanderlyn.
11.	"	Bowne	"	"	Weir.
12.	"	Lee	"	"	Inman.
13.	"	Lawrence	"	"	"
14.	"	Clark	"	"	"
15.	"	Varian	"	"	Mooney.

* President Taylor died on the 9th of July, 1350, therefore Millard Fillmore became President of the United States.

Drawn for D. T. Valentine's Manual 1851 by G. Hayward 120 Water St.

Diedrich Knickerbocker recording the gallant actions and achievements of the chivalric Peter Stuyvesant.

16. Mayor Morris.....Painted by Spencer.
17. " Harper..... " " Inman & Hun'gton.
18. " Havemeyer..... " " Matteson.
19. " Mickle..... " " Mooney.
20. " Brady..... " " Wenzler.

President Washington..... " " ——
" Monroe..... " " Vanderlyn.
" Jackson..... " " "
" Taylor..... " " "
General McComb..... " " Waldo.
" Brown..... " " Jarvis.
" Scott..... " " Kellogg.
Commodore Perry..... " " Jarvis.
" Decatur..... " " Sully.
" Bainbridge..... " " Jarvis.
" Swift..... " " "

General La Fayette..... " " Morse.
Monckton..... " " "
Columbus.....(Original.)
Stuyvesant.....(From Family Portrait.
Bolivar.....Painted by ——
Williams..... " " Trumbull.
Hendrick Hudson..... .....(Original.)
Paez.....Painted by Chas. Jarvis.

In Board of Aldermen's Chamber.

General Washington.....Painted by Trumbull.
Governor Clinton..... " " "
John Jay..... " " Weimar.
Alexander Hamilton..... " " "

In Board of Assistant's Chamber.

Macdonough.....Painted by Jarvis.
Hull..... " " "

Room No. 8, City Hall.

High Constable Jacob Hays.....Painted by Shegogue.

Busts.

Governor's Room.—Bust of De Witt Clinton.
Chamber of Board of Aldermen.—Bust of John Jay, (presented by his daughter to the Corporation, March, 1835.)
" " " Bust of Chief-Justice Marshall, by Frazee.
Common Pleas Court Room —Bust of Thomas Addis Emmet.
" " " " Tablet to John T. Irving.
Law Library.—Bust of Chancellor Kent, by Clavenger.

The Compiler respectfully calls the attention of the reader to the following articles, which chiefly treats of subjects relating to olden times, and particularly to the doings of the Burgomasters and Schepens—being a continuation of what has been published in the preceding Manuals.

PROGRESS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The editor has, from time to time, in the various annual editions of this work, published statistics and maps illustrative of the unexampled progress of the city of New York in population, wealth, and commercial greatness. It may be safely said that in these respects history affords no equal example of prosperity, and if we may anticipate the lapse of another century, its extent and population will stand with scarcely a rival among cities.

It is now (1851) two hundred and thirty-seven years since the passengers of a Dutch emigrant vessel, erected their cabins upon the south point of this island, surrounded by savages whose characteristics and mode of life were at utter variance with the customs of civilization ; a race who were quick in enmity, treacherous and deadly as foes; each night was to the new settlers a time of danger, and the labors of the day were never prosecuted in confidence of safety. The records of the period show how the community was harrassed by Indian wars ; how at first they were accustomed to retire during the night within the fort erected for their protection, but as the population increased they were compelled to surround their dwellings with pallisades to prevent surprise. These and other troubles are illustrated in one instance in the following affecting document:

PROCLAMATION.

"Well-beloved People—No one knows the manner in which the good but just God visits his punishments upon those who misuse his blessings. The evils which we have lately experienced, first in wars with our neighbors, next in an unexpected surprise and massacre by the wild barbarians, and afterwards by a sickly and fatal fever, leaving many languishing on beds of sickness. These cannot be accounted for otherwise than as visitations upon us for our individual as well as general chastisement, and show that the Almighty and just God has turned upon us his vengeance. Therefore, a day of general fasting and prayer is ordered."

But with all the discouraging circumstances incident to the settlement of a new and savage region, we find the town increasing. In 1628, (fourteen years from the first landing,) it contained two hundred and seventy inhabitants. In 1648, (a further lapse of twenty years,) it contained about one

thousand inhabitants, having been named the city of New Amsterdam. But it must not be supposed that at this period the city bore any of the evidences of wealth and luxury which our present metropolis affords. On the contrary the records of that period show that the streets had received no improvement by regulating or paving, and were not as yet designated by names. Some of the citizens being agriculturists, chose to store their farm produce within the city for greater safety, wherever barns and hay barracks were numerous in the town. Nor were the dwellings of the inhabitants of that period of the costly and luxurious styles that now adorn our city, but instead thereof, were "chiefly of wood and thatched."

We pass over ten years and come to an era (1657) in the progress of our city, for then it was thought appropriate to the prosperous and growing condition of the town to give to its thoroughfares the name of streets, which was accordingly done, and they are enumerated as follows. *T' Marckvelt* (the Marketfield,) *De Heere Straat*, (the principal street,) *De Hoogh Straat*, (the High street,) *De Waal*, (the Wall,) *T' Water*, (the Water,) *De Perel Straat*, (the Pearl street,) *aghter de Perel Straat*, (behind the Pearl street,) *De Brouwer Straat*, (the Brewer street,) *De Winckel Straat*, (the Shop street,) *De Heere graft*, (the principal canal,) *De Prince graft*, (the Prince canal,) *De Prince Straat*, (the Prince street,) *De Bever graft*, (the Beaver canal,) *T' Marckvelt Steegre*, (the Marketfield path,) *De Smits Valey*, (the Smiths Valley.) Soon after this time the first wharf was built "on the strand," by one Daniel Litschoe, tavern keeper.

It may be asked, what were the elements of prosperity of this city at this early period of its history, and upon that subject we are enlightened by the records of the day. We are told that the chief exports were beaver skins, and other peltry, and flour ground in windmills, (many of which were erected on the outskirts and high places of the town.) The peltry was sent to Holland in the returning ships, and the flour shipped to the West Indies, where it found a ready market.

The currency of that day was in general composed of the Indian money, called wampum, a small perforated shell strung in the manner of beads upon a string, the value of which was established by law at about three for one cent. Dried beaver skins were also established as a circulating medium to be received at the rate of eight guilders, or about three dollars each.

While our city was prosperously advancing in wealth and population, under the auspices of its Dutch founders, an unexpected visitor entered the harbor in the year 1664. Col. Nichols, an officer of England, having under his command several armed ships, cast anchor in the bay and summoned the city to surrender. After long debate and much contention in the town, the demand was acceded to, and the English officer took possession in the name of his government, established officers favorable to the new power, and set sail for England. In this situation things remained until 1673,

when another armament entered the bay, this time bearing the Dutch flag. The English garrison being summoned, it also surrendered, seeing the uselessness of disputing the matter by force. But finally, by a treaty of peace in 1674, between Holland and England, the beautiful city and province of New York was ceded to England, in exchange for some island elsewhere, and thus the relative pretentions of the parties were amicably settled.

We find a few sentences descriptive of the commercial condition of the city at that period, in the reports of the governors to their superiors in England. Governor Andros, in 1678, says:—"Our principal places of trade are New York and South'ton, except Albany, for the Indians; our buildings most wood, some lately stone and brick; good country houses, and strong of their sevr all kindes. A merchant worth £1000 or £500 is accounted a good substantiall merchant, and a planter worthe halfe that in moveables, accounted rich; all estates may be valued att about £150,000; there may lately have traded to ye colony in a yeare, from tenn to fifteen ships or vessells of about togeather 100 tunns each, English, New England, and oure own built, of which five small shipps and a ketch now belonging to New Yorke, foure of them built there."

Governor Dongan, in 1687, says:—"New York and Albany live wholly upon the trade with the Indians, England and the West Indies; the returns for England, are generally beaver, peltry, oile, and tobacco, when we can have it; to the West Indies we send flower, bread, pease, pork and sometimes horses; there are about nine or ten three mast vessels of about 80 or 100 tons burthen, two or three ketches of about 20 or 25 tons, belonging to the government, all of which trade for England, Holland, and the West Indies, except six or seven sloops that use the river trade to Albany and that way."

In 1674, at the time of the cession of the territory to the English, the city contained a population of about 3,000.

In 1678, the population was 3,430; an increase of about 400 in three years, or 130 per annum.

In 1703, the population was 4,436; an increase of about 1,000 in twenty-five years, or 40 per annum.

In 1712, the population was 5,840; an increase of about 1,400 in nine years, or 150 per annum.

In 1723, the population was 7,243; an increase of about 1,400 in eleven years, or 130 per annum.

In 1731, the population was 8,622; being an increase of about 1,400 in eight years, or 175 per annum.

In 1737, the population was 10,664; being an increase of about 2,000 in six years, or 330 per annum.

In 1746, the population was 11,717; being an increase of about 1,000 in nine years, or 110 per annum.

In 1756, the population was 13,040 ; being an increase of about 1,300 in ten years, or 130 per annum.

In 1771, the population was 21,863 ; being an increase of about 8,800 in fifteen years, or 600 per annum. (The garrison contained at this period a large number of soldiers in anticipation of American troubles.)

In 1786, after the close of the revolution, the city contained 23,614 inhabitants ; being an increase of about 2,000 in fifteen years, or 130 per annum.

The whole increase of the city during the century of English domination, did not exceed 20,000, a number considerably less than is now added to its population every year, and an increase which seems at the present day vastly disproportionate to the commercial and agricultural advantages of the city and province, under the auspices of Great Britain. But if we consider the restrictions thrown by the mother country around her colonies, we shall be less surprised at the disproportion between the past and the present. As early as 1705 we find Governor Cornbury writing from New York to his superiors at home in such terms as these. " I hope I may be pardoned if I declare my opinion to be that all these colloneys which are but twigs belonging to the main tree (England) ought to be kept entirely dependent upon and subservient to England, and that can never be if they are suffered to go on in the notions they have that as they are Englishmen so they may set up the same manufactures here as people may do in England."

In conformity with the policy recommended by Governor Cornbury, the people of New York were not permitted to manufacture clothes of any kind except for their own use ; owing to this system however (which was designed in part to instil into the people a sense of dependence upon England for clothing stuffs, and partly to aid British manufactures and commerce,) the people of this colony, particularly in the country, became very generally the weavers of their own clothes called " homespun," an economical as well as retributive practice.

With respect to the condition and appearance of the city under the English dynasty, we shall instance that in 1748, the city of New York was a place of about twelve thousand inhabitants, all lying below the present Park. The streets are said to have been well built, most of them being paved, except in high places, where it had been found useless. In the chief streets there were trees planted, which in summer gave them a fine appearance, and during the hot months afforded a cooling shade. The trees were chiefly of two kinds—the water-beech were the most numerous, and gave an agreeable shade by their large leaves and abundant foliage. The locust tree was likewise common, and was a favorite shade tree in streets and gardens, on account of the odoriferous scent exhaling from it. There were likewise lime trees and elms planted in some parts, but not so numerously as the others.

Besides the number of birds which made these trees their homes, they were likewise frequented by tree-toads, and the clamorous voices of these animals were the subject of remark to travellers and others not accustomed to them.

Most of the houses were built of brick, and two or three stories high. The ancient custom of turning the gable ends to the streets, was now fast growing into disuse, although the great part of the city was still built up in this manner. Many of the houses had a balcony on the roof on which the people were accustomed to sit in the summer evenings. From thence, in houses in Broadway and other elevated streets, they had a pleasant view of a great part of the town, and likewise of the rivers, the bay and the opposite shores. The roofs were covered either with tiles or shingles. Within the houses the walls were white-washed. No hangings appear to have been in use, but the walls were quite covered with all sorts of drawings and pictures in small frames. On each side of the chimneys they had usually a sort of alcove, and the walls under the windows were wainscotted, and had benches placed near. The alcoves and all the wood-work were painted with a bluish grey color.

There were at that time the following churches in the town :

1. The *English church* (on site of the present Trinity), built in the year 1695 ; it was built of stone, and had a steeple with a bell.

2. The *New Dutch church*—then so called—now known as the post-office. This was likewise of stone. It had a clock, then the only one in town. In this church, there was neither altar, vestry, choir, sconses or paintings. Some trees were planted around it, which made it look as if it were " built in a wood."

3. The *Old Dutch church*, then standing in Garden street, (now Exchange place) was also built of stone. It was not so large as the new one. It was painted on the inside, though without any images, and was also adorned with a small organ, of which Governor Burnet made them a present. The men, for the most part, sat in the gallery, the women below.

4. The *Presbyterian church*, formerly standing in Wall street, near Broadway, had been built but lately. It was of stone, and had a steeple with a bell in it.

5. The *German Lutheran church*.

6. The *German Reformed church*.

7. The *French church*, for Protestant refugees.

8. The *Quaker meeting-house*.

9. The *Jewish Synagogue*.

The want of good water in the town at this period was a serious inconvenience. There were many wells (commonly situated in the middle of the street) but the inhabitants, many of them preferred to send out of town to the fresh water spring, situated nearly in the rear of the Park, and then, and for a long period afterwards known as the tea-water spring.

Country people were in the habit of coming to market twice a week, on market days fixed by custom, as it still prevails in some of our river villages.

There were two printers in the town, and two small newspapers were published weekly.

The Rev. Andrew Burnaby, who travelled through the middle settlements in North America, in the year 1759 and 1760, gives the following account of his visit to the city of New York:

From Staten Island "I embarked for New York, and after a pleasant passage over the bay, which is three leagues wide, and various delightful prospects of rivers, islands, fields, hills, woods, the Narrows, New York city, vessels sailing to and fro, and innumerable porpoises playing upon the surface of the water, in an evening so serene that the hemisphere was not ruffled by a single cloud. Arrived there about the setting of the sun.

"The city contains between two and three thousand houses, and sixteen or seventeen thousand inhabitants; is tolerably well built, and has several good houses. The streets are paved and very clean, but in general narrow. There are two or three indeed, which are spacious and airy, particularly the Broadway. The houses in this street have mostly a row of trees before them, which form an agreeable shade, and have a pretty effect. There are several public buildings, though but few that deserve attention. The College (now Columbia College) when finished, will be exceedingly handsome. It is to be built on three sides of a quadrangle, fronting Hudson or North river, and will be the most beautifully situated of any college I believe in the world.

"More than half the inhabitants of New York are Dutch, and almost all traders; they are therefore habitually frugal, industrious and parsimonious. The women are handsome and agreeable, though rather more reserved than the Philadelphian ladies. Their amusements are much the same as in Pennsylvania, viz., balls and sleighing expeditions in the winter, and in summer going in parties upon the water and fishing, or making excursions into the country. There are several houses pleasantly situated upon the East river, near New York, where it is common to have turtle feasts; these happen once or twice in a week. Thirty or forty gentlemen and ladies meet and dine together, drink tea in the afternoon, fish and amuse themselves till evening, and then return home in Italian chaises (a fashionable carriage in these parts,) a gentleman and lady in each chaise. In the way there is a bridge about three miles distant from New York, which you always pass over as you return, called the Kissing bridge, where it is part of the etiquette, to salute the lady who has put herself under your protection."

In 1783, peace was concluded between Great Britain and the United States, by virtue of which the independence of this republic was recognized.

In the early time of our republic, foreign nations had no confidence in the capacity of free institutions to govern a people ; many ages of submission to feudal despotism, (though latterly chastened of its most despotic features) had bred in the people of Europe an inaptitude to think and act for themselves, and it was upon the knowledge of this habitual weakness of the masses of their subjects that the rulers upheld their power. It was not, therefore, expected abroad that our government could sustain itself upon the broad platform of the liberty of the people ; and a distrust was felt towards us by the leading classes in Europe, which has only within a very few years past been eradicated. But with our continued stability, came the confidence of the people of other nations, who began to regard this country as the haven of the poor man from the fears of want ; as the mine whence the enterprising and adventurous were to draw wealth ; as the theatre wherein the political economist was to realize his theories ; as the church of all creeds wherein those deprived of liberty of conscience in their native land could worship without fear of molestation ; hence the tide of the world's population tended to our shores, and the safe and beautiful harbor of New York, received the ships of all nations bearing their freight of men and of goods from every part of the earth.

In our midst the increase of population began to extend the limits of the city. Even so early as the year 1804, the necessity of settling a regular plan of streets, for a distance of eight miles in length, and the width of the island was anticipated by our legislature, and a plan was established by law, comprehending in its features the cutting down of mountains and the filling up of valleys to a regular and uniform grade over all that extent. At the present time the compact portion of our city is about four miles in length by two in width, not including the suburbs of Brooklyn, Williamsburgh, Jersey City, Hoboken, &c., and including those suburbs by the recent census (1850) the population is about six hundred and fifty thousand.

Under the smiles of fortune, most classes of our citizens have been prosperous, many have grown wealthy, and the style and expense of living, and the beauty of some of the principal streets of the city, have proportionably improved. The buildings now generally in course of construction by our wealthy inhabitants for their private residences, are among the most splendid and costly city dwelling houses in the world. The several styles of architecture are conceived by architects of great ability, and the designs of the buildings and interior decorations are in many instances carried out without regard to cost. One hundred thousand dollars for the cost of a single city lot, free-stone house, and furniture, is not an unfrequent expenditure. The support of many private establishments requires an outlay of ten to twenty thousand dollars a year, some ranging much higher. It is partly in this manner that the superfluous wealth of our citizens is expended ; but while in this respect the luxuries of life enjoyed by the possession of wealth are

not less costly and magnificent than those of the most aristocratic societies in the world, yet the nature of our political institutions is calculated with certainty to render this privilege a temporary one, and the result is found to be that the wealth of a family, however great, is gradually reduced by divisions among successive generations, and a necessity for toil is commonly found to exist among the posterity as among the ancestry, and as this is a result taught both by theory and experience, labor among our people is no disgrace, but on the contrary to accumulate a fortune is considered more honorable than to inherit one.

There are in the city of New York in 1851, 239 churches, divided as follows: 30 Baptist; 9 Congregational; 17 Dutch Reformed; 3 Friends; 10 Jewish Synagogues; 6 Lutheran; 34 Methodist Episcopal; 3 Methodist Protestant; 40 Protestant Episcopal; 2 New Jerusalem; 36 Presbyterian; 5 Associate Presbyterian; 2 Associate Reformed Presbyterian; 4 Reformed Presbyterian; 3 Primitive Christians; 20 Roman Catholic; 2 Unitarian; 4 Universalist; 1 Wesleyan Methodist; 7 miscellaneous.

In 1786, three years subsequent to the Declaration of Peace between Great Britain and America, the city contained 23,614 inhabitants.

In 1790, the population was 33,131, being an increase of about 10,000 in four years, or 2,500 per annum.

In 1800, the population was 60,489, being an increase of about 27,000 in ten years, or 2,700 per annum.

In 1810, the population was 95,519, being an increase of about 35,000 in ten years, or 3,500 per annum.

In 1820, the population was 123,706, being an increase of about 28,000 in ten years, or 2,800 per annum.

In 1825, the population was 166,000, being an increase of about 43,000 in five years, or 8,500 per annum.

In 1830, the population was 203,007, being an increase of about 37,000 in five years, or 7,500 per annum.

In 1835, the population was 270,089, being an increase of about 67,000 in five years, or 13,000 per annum.

In 1840, the population was 312,710, being an increase of about 42,000 in five years, or 8,000 per annum.

In 1845, the population was 371,223, being an increase of about 70,000 in five years, or 14,000 per annum.

In 1850, the population was 515,394, being an increase of about 144,000 in five years, or nearly 30,000 per annum.

The suburbs of New York, lying within one mile of the city, consisting of Brooklyn, Williamsburgh, Jersey City and Hoboken, contain in round numbers 150,000 inhabitants, which added to the present population of the city proper, make a total of at least 650,000.

ON THE REASONS WHY SOME OF THE STREETS OF NEW YORK WERE CONSTRUCTED ON THEIR PRESENT SITES.

We have heard curiosity often expressed as to the reasons which induced the first founders of our city to lay down the plans of their streets in the irregular manner in which we find them in the lower part of the city. Looking at the city map, it will be observed that there has been no uniform plan of laying out the streets at the time these became peopled, and that local and peculiar influences must have governed them in fixing upon their sites. These influences cannot, upon a superficial view of the city at the present time, be ascertained; but by studying the history of the past, and the formation of the probable surface of the country before these streets were built upon, we are able to trace this puzzling problem with a considerable degree of certainty.

We must not suppose that the original founders of this city came hither prepared to lay out a city with respect to uniformity of grade, or that the site of this city was chosen, like that of Philadelphia, with any view before hand, of laying down a city, staked out in regular squares; but the fact must be borne in mind that the original settlers had other influences governing them. They come hither to a country of savages. They found the island a favorable site for trade, and affording natural facilities for security on three sides against an attack of their barbarous neighbors. Hence, they raised their cabins upon the south point of the island, and gradually, with the increase of population, the limits of their settlement expanded.

The formation of the land around their fort was much broken; hills, valleys, ponds, streams and marshes were obstructions to be regarded in settling their thoroughfares; but not then, as now, were these to be overcome by the spade and the wheelbarrow, the pick and the blast. They traversed *around* obstructions which we of the present day go *through*.

For the better illustrating our own views, we have prepared a ground plan of the lower part of the island, based upon the most authentic data, and with the aid of this, we propose to offer a few suggestions on the origin of some of the streets.

Pearl street.—The crescent, or bow-like, form of this street, appears now to be a puzzling matter of explanation, its end being nearly on the same line from which it starts. This street has in the course of its history been know by several different names, applied to different portions of it, and finally it was given one general cognomen for its whole extent. Originally this street was the one nearest to the shore of the river, and became soon one of the most populous in the city, on account of more business being done on the East river side of the island than on the North river

side; a privilege it has inherited almost to the present day, for it is only within a few years that any of our principal merchants and ship owners have established their places of business west of Broadway. The original reason of this business peculiarity, was that the shores of the East river and the make of the ground were less bold and declivitous than on the North river side. Another favorable circumstance to the East river section in business affairs, was the ferry to Long Island, from whence much of the farm produce consumed in the city was brought.

The beginning of Pearl street was a small row of houses then under the walls of the fort, the site of which is now west of Whitehall street, extending thence along the shore, the rear of the gardens of the buildings on the south side being washed by the tide,—the street became built upon as far as Broad street, up which a small creek ran in ancient times. Crossing a bridge there, the continuation along the shore followed naturally with the growing population. It became a high road. It led past Mrs. Van Clyff's farm, her residence being on a bluff near the present junction of John and Pearl streets. Thence it passed Mr. Beekman's farm and orchard, near the street which now bears his name. Thence it crossed a neck of land, between Beekman's swamp and the river, about the present head of Peck slip; thence it continued to the present site of Franklin square. Here in course of time it became convenient to effect a junction with the high road to Boston (now Chatham street), and the only traversable way was along a ridge which then extended from the top of the hill at Franklin square to the Boston road. Accordingly this was staked out and became a thoroughfare, naturally taking the name of the street from which it ran. Here it would probably have stopped its circuitous course, but it happened that opposite to its junction with the Boston road there came in a lane leading from Broadway also to the Boston road, past a powder house, (then and for a long time standing upon a piece of ground almost insulated by the fresh water pond) the lane became known as Magazine street, but finally, it being the natural continuation of Pearl street, it was adopted as a part of that ancient thoroughfare.

Water street, Front street, South street.—We only need say, with respect to these streets, that they have been successively filled into the East river in the order in which they are here placed.

Marketfield street.—The curious history of this small street is, to our minds, an interesting index to the primitive condition of our city. The market and centre of commerce in our city in the earliest times was the green before the fort, the present site of our Bowling Green. The country people from Long Island were ferried, or ferried themselves at first, to a small inlet at Broad street, and along the shore here the boats securely lay. Marketfield street became the *path* from the landing-place to the

market field. It was known under the Dutch, even after the town had considerably extended itself, as "'T Marckvelt steegie," the Marketfield path or bye-way.

Maiden lane—once called "the green lane," and once also "'t maagde paatje," or "the maid's path." The curious divergence of this street from a parallel to those above and below it—arose from the natural formation of the adjacent country. It certainly was anciently a lane leading from the road at the water side (Pearl street) to the high road to Boston (Broadway), because we find as early as 1661, long before any part above Wall street was built upon, the following question put by the Burgomasters to a man charged with stealing: "Have not you, prisoner, more than a month ago, stolen a quantity of cabbage at the house of a Peter Jansen, ship-carpenter, at the entrance of *t' maagde paatje*, when you were caught and overtaken by the watch?" (Translated.)

It is known that the present Park and some of the adjacent grounds, were originally set apart as a common pasturage for the cattle of the inhabitants, then generally living near the fort or present Battery. The direct road to the common from the fort was that now called Broadway, but as many inhabitants resided along the water side, on the present line of Pearl street, it became desirable to effect a junction with the pasturage by a cross-cut. The only feasible route for this purpose was the valley now called Maiden lane, which then formed a gradual and easy ascent to the principal road. Although the neighboring elevations have since been greatly improved by grading, it will be observed that Maiden lane is still a valley, though hardly to be recognized in the midst of brick and mortar. The early name, "Green lane," "Maids' path," conjure up the idea, the certainty of which we can only surmise, that this lane or road was once not only the evening and the morning path of the heardsman, but was also a pleasant strolling place of the youth of this city, in times past.

Broad street.—In comparison with some of the adjacent streets, Broad street seems of unusual width, the explanation of which is that its site was originally a marshy valley, traversed by a small stream or drain; on both sides of this drain, (which was a convenient harbor for small boats, and therefore carefully preserved,) a row of buildings was erected with sufficient cart-ways on each side. In after times, when by the construction of docks and wharves this drain became useless as a shelter for boats, it was filled up, leaving the street of its present width.

Beaver street.—The width of this street may be explained in a similar manner. It was in early times known as the "Beaver Canal," a drain branching from the principal one in Broad street, along the centre of this street.

Broadway.—We should probably have had Broadway as crooked as most of the other down-town streets, if nature had not fortuitously provided a ridge of land to start upon which tended in a direct line. The most convenient roadway from the fort to the interior of the island was upon the ridge on which the lower part of Broadway now runs, a slight elevation, however, having to be overcome to get upon it; the width of the ridge, in its natural state being no more for some distance than was necessary for a convenient road. The destination of this thoroughfare was originally to the common pasture lands on the site of and adjacent to the present Park, which was a grazing place for cattle in early times. Up to this point, therefore, there was no necessity for divergence to the right or left, although the Boston highroad led off across the common, (on the present line of Chatham street,) and was laid out about thirty years after the first settlement. Fortunately, perhaps, for the beauty of our city, the necessities of the population did not need the extension of this street beyond the present Park for more than one hundred and fifty years after the first formation of the road to the pasture lands; and at that late period the spirit and wealth of the citizens induced them to carry this thoroughfare through very considerable hills and over deep valleys and marshes, in anticipation of an importance to the street, which has been fully realized, for the Broadway of New York is now celebrated throughout the world.

THE FIRST ORGANIZATION OF A FIRE DEPARTMENT IN THIS CITY.

A system of fire police was established in this city as early as the year 1648; the immediate cause of which is stated in the records to have been the happening of fire in two places, occasioned by the negligence of certain careless persons who were in the habit of neglecting to clean their chimneys and of paying no attention to their fires. Although in that day there were several good storehouses in the town, yet the general construction of the dwellings was of the simple character found in newly settled places, it was not uncommon for the poorer classes to thatch their dwellings with reeds, and to have wooden chimneys. The danger attending this mode of building was made apparent by the accident above related, and the city authorities directed that from that time no wooden or platted chimneys should be erected between the "fort and the fresh water," or in other words, within any dangerous contiguity to the city. To see that this ordinance was properly observed, four fire wardens were appointed. The names of these officers were Adrian Keyser, Tomas Hal, Martin Crizier and Joris Wolsey. The same ordinance enacted a penalty for non-compliance with the orders of these wardens, the amount whereof was ordered to be set apart for the purchase of fire ladders, hooks and buckets, to be procured from the father-land with the first opportunity.

In 1657 a further order was made by the authorities in the following words: "Notice is hereby given, that for the purpose of preventing calamities by fire, they long since condemned all flag roof. wooden and platted chimneys within this city, and to that end they appointed fire wardens and inspectors of buildings, which ordinance has been and is at present neglected by the inhabitants, and in consequence thereof several fires have occurred and more are to be apprehended; yes indeed, even to the entire destruction of the city, so that it is necessary to make provision in the case. To which end, the Director-General and Councillors do ordain that all flag roofs, wooden chimneys, hay barracks and hay stacks, shall be taken down and removed within four months after the publication of these presents, under the penalty of twenty-five guilders for every month's delay; and this penalty shall be claimed for every house, small or great, with reed roof, hay barrack, or hay stack, or wooden chimney, within the walls of the city; hen-houses and hog-pens shall be included."

In December of the same year, (1657,) the matter of procuring utensils for the extinguishment of fires was taken into consideration, and the following order was issued. "*Whereas*, In all well regulated cities it is customary that fire-buckets, ladders and hooks are in readiness at the corners of the streets and in public houses for time of need, which is the more necessary in this city on account of the small number of stone houses and many that are built of wood; therefore it shall be required immediately, that for every house, whether small or large, shall be paid one beaver or eight guilders in seawant, (about three dollars in actual value,) out of which funds shall be procured from father-land two hundred and fifty leather fire-buckets, and we shall also have made some fire-ladders and fire-hooks. In order to maintain the same in good order, there shall afterwards be a yearly demand for every chimney in a house, of one guilder, (about forty cents.) The tax here provided for was collected, and the hooks and ladders having been made here, they were distributed about in public places of the town.

It was proposed, also, instead of sending to Holland for the leather fire-buckets, that they should be made also in this city. On the 1st of August, 1658, the several shoemakers of the town were requested to attend the meeting of the city authorities. Coenract Ten Eyck, Remont Remontsen, Arian Van Laar and Preter Van Haalen attended. The matter being proposed to Mr. Ten Eyck, he declined to undertake it. Van Haalen declared he had not the materials. An agreement was, however, made with Remontsen in the following terms: "Remont Remontsen agrees to make one hundred buckets between this and All-Saints day, all out of tanned leather, and finished in the completest manner, for the price of six guilders two stuyvers each, (about two dollars and fifty cents,) half to be paid in seawant, half in beavers."

"On the same condition Arian Van Laar undertakes to make fifty buckets."

On the 20th January the one hundred and fifty buckets were completed, brought to the City Hall, and there numbered. They were distributed about the city in the following places: Nos. 1 to 50 at the City Hall; 51 to 62 at Daniel Litschoe's tavern; 63 to 74 at the house of Abraham Verplanck, in the Smith's Valley; 75 to 86 at the house of Joannes Pietersen Van Brugg; 87 to 98 at the house of Burgomaster Paulus Leendenen Vandiegrist; 99 to 110 at the house of the sheriff, (or Schout,) Nicasius de Se'le; 111 to 112 at the house of Schelen Pieter Wolfersen Van Cowenhoven; at the house of Jan Jansen, jr., were deposited ten; at the house of Hendrick Hendrickson Kip. sen., were left ten; at the house of Jacobus Backer were left ten.

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Says Dunlap, in his history of New Netherlands—1610—To return to the Manhattoes. In the same year that Hudson sailed on his last voyage, some of the merchants of Amsterdam sent out a ship for traffic, to the country claimed by Holland in virtue of the great navigator's discovery in 1609. The trade for peltries was profitable, and other adventurers followed. Next year Block and Christianse brought out more adventurers, 1614,* protected by an edict of the States-General, and shortly after the settlement on the island, called sometimes Castle Island, in the Hudson (which led to the beginning of Albany,† on the main land, a little further north) was commenced.

The year 1623, as already remarked, may be considered as the era of permanent settlement in the New Netherland; Peter Minuits, the agent of the Dutch West India Company, was Governor or Director-General for six years, under the grant from the States-General in the year 1621. Cornelius Mey (who has left his name on one of the capes) visited South river, since known as the Delaware, the same year that Minuits came out, and Mey built fort Nassau, on Timber Creek, which enters the river a few miles below Cambden.

1625. The colony of New Netherland increased under the government of Minuits; and the city of New Amsterdam grew under the government established, which was as republican as could be, where the chief executive magistrate was appointed by others. After the Dutch under the West India Company had permission from the natives to build a fort on the Island of Manhattan, which I presume to have been under the government of Minuits, they erected a regular fort, as the reverend Mr. Abell tells in his MS., which I find in the New York Historical Library. This corresponds with my opinion that the wall or foundation, which was discovered near the bank of the river, on the site of the present cemetery, Trinity Church, was part of the fort erected about the year 1623.

But it is not likely that the first traders were altogether without defence, and I find that they had a stockade enclosure on the bank between the above square fort and the point of the island; for the idea of fortifying the bluff was not suggested until the time when Van Twiller erected the per-

* 1614. When Block's vessel was burnt by accident at Manhattan, he built a yacht thirty-eight feet keel, forty-four and a half feet on deck, and eleven and a half feet beam; and with this vessel De Laet says, "he sailed through Helle-gat into the great bay," the Sound. He was joined by Christianse off Cape Cod. They discovered, as they thought, Rhode Island.

† The site of Albany was called by the Iroquois, Scaghneghtady. Castle Island was abandoned in 1617, when found to be subjected to the floods of the river. An important event now took place, which was a solemn league of friendship between the Netherlanders and the Iroquois. The latter gained the use of fire-arms to repulse their Canadian enemies and the French; the latter, besides the advantages of trade, made friends, who were long a rampart to the New Netherlands and New York.

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Hudson on his return to Holland was received with great welcome by the Merchants and Burgers. Jans first interview

manent fortress called Fort Amsterdam. The government under Minuits was according to the plan proposed by the city of Amsterdam. The people, that is, the freeholders, chose the Schepen and the Council of Twenty, and it was only the Director-General who was appointed, independent of their will, by the authorities in Europe ; but his powers were so great, that when the English conquest took place, and the colony was transferred to James, Duke of York, the people willingly underwent the change. But under Minuits, none of the inhabitants of New Netherland had cause of complaint, except the beaver and others whose skins enriched the Dutch merchants: the slaughter of these increased rapidly, notwithstanding which the Dutch West India Company failed in about ten years after taking charge of New Amsterdam.

Few agriculturalists yet came to the new colony; but among them was, in 1625, a colony of Walloons, who took up lands and began to cultivate at the Wallabout on Long Island; and from them the name is derived (Waale boght*). Thus, at this time was the city of Brooklyn begun; and the same year the first white child born in New Netherland saw the light at the Waale Boght; this was Sarah Rapelye, the daughter of John; the second was given to the same Walloon family, at the same place, and from her is descended the present worthy Mayor (1839) of the city of Brooklyn.†

The Honorable Silas Wood, whose authority is unquestionable, tells us, that when Europeans first saw Long Island, it was very clear from wood in consequence of the Indian custom of burning off the brush and underwood.

I find from another record a memorandum of the manner in which agricultural or farming transactions were carried on in these primitive times:— "Wouter Van Twiller let George Jansen de Rapelye have two cows for four years, and then to be returned with half the increase."

The Dutch colonists of New Netherlands sent the second in command as their envoy to the Plymouth colony, with congratulations and friendly offers of intercourse and assistance. M. De Razier was received with honor by the pilgrims, who acknowledged their former obligations to the Dutch, and professed their gratitude. The courteous envoy invited the English to a better soil than what they were cultivating, denoting that of Hartford; and the English advised their neighbors to secure their claim to the Hudson by application to England and a purchase or treaty, for they were not ignorant that their country claimed the Dutch possessions, and the ground of the first discovery by Cabot. Every friendly demonstration attended the visit of De Razier ; but the pilgrims requested the Dutch not to send their skiffs into the Naragansetts for beaver skins.

The Dutch West India Company, by authority of the States, granted to certain persons, on condition that any one of them should, within four years, plant a colony of fifty persons over fifteen years of age, within the New Netherlands, lands to the extent of sixteen miles in length, or if on a river, eight miles on each bank, (the width in the interior undefined,) the Indian right to be purchased from them by the grantees, and the island of Manhattan reserved to the company. These leaders of colonies were called Patroons.

The four first great Patroons were Samuel Godyn, Samuel Bloemart, M. Pauw, and Killian Van Renssellaer. Godyn and Bloemart united and obtained the first deed for land in Delaware. Godyn purchased from the natives the soil from Cape Henlopen to the Delaware river ; a territory of

* Het-waale Boght, meaning the Walloons' Bay.
† General Jeremiah Johnson.

more than thirty miles, which purchase was ratified and duly recorded. This now constitutes the two lower counties of the state of Delaware. The Patroons likewise bought the opposite shore of New Jersey, and one of them, M. Pauw, purchased the soil on the west bank of Hudson's river and of New Amsterdam bay, behind Hoboken, extending on the shore to the Kills, with all Staten Island, and the whole territory was called Pavonia.

The agent of Mr. Van Rensselaer pitched his tents on the Hudson, from Fort Ontario (or Albany,) to the mouth of the Mohawk river. Of the four Patroons the name of Van Rensselaer is the only one now known, and that is known in the most advantageous manner as the name of men, patriots, and true philanthropists.

These four original Patroons, in the first place, sent out agents to secure places for their colonists, in consequence of a decree or regulation made by a council of nine, who were intrusted with the management of colonizing New Netherland, which decree granted privileges to those who as patroons or private individuals, should carry out and plant bodies of settlers.

By this decree the agent of the Patroon having selected the land for the colony, four years were granted for perfecting the settlement. The Patroon might hold his land as an eternal heritage, devisable by testament, with certain other provisions ; among which he might, if he founded a city, appoint officers and magistrates. The services of the colonists or servants of the Patroons were assured to them by the government.

It was provided, that as the company intended to people the Island Manhattoes first, all colonial productions intended for exportation, should be brought thither, the Patroons having privileges of trade, by paying five per cent. on goods brought to Manhattoes for exportation to Holland. The Patroons held courts on their domains, but an appeal lay to the Director-General for all sums over fifty guilders, (twenty dollars and eighty-three cents.)

Individuals wishing to settle lands might take up as much as they could cultivate, and they had a variety of privileges for fishing, hunting, mining, &c.

It was stipulated that colonists, not on Manhattan Island, should extinguish the Indian claims, and that they should, as soon as practicable, establish a minister and a schoolmaster. Wouter Van Twiller came out as the agent for the four Patroons, and having arranged the various tracts for his employers, returned to Holland. It was on the disagreement between Peter Minuits and the company that Van Twiller returned as the Director-General or Governor of New Netherland.

In the year 1625, De Laet, a director of the West India Company, published his book on the New World. He endeavored to invite colonists by describing the New Netherlands as a paradise, where nothing was wanting but what it was the interest of the settler to transport thither ; but it was only by the union of the author with Killian Van Rensselaer and others, that colonization was thrifty in and about New Amsterdam.

1631. By MSS. deposited in the New York Historical Society and by others, submitted to Mr. Moulton, the Historian, it appears that Killian Van Rensselaer purchased from the Indian owners the lands extending on both sides of the river, from Fort Orange or Albany, to a small island at the mouth of the Mohawk river, and paid in goods.

These great purchases by the Patroons were not favorable to the settlement of the country by independent cultivators. There was dissatisfaction among the purchasers ; and the colonists sent or brought over were poor dependents, who became tenants to the proprietors of the soil. These great

landholders were directors of the West India company, and Killian Van Rensselaer in particular, was an opulent merchant of Amsterdam. They associated for mutual benefit, and Godyn having been informed that whales were plenty about Delaware bay, and both whales and seals frequent near New Amsterdam, the associates fitted out an expedition for whaling and colonization, and induced David Petersen De Vries to become commander, and sundry other persons to take shares.

De Vries (who is sometimes called Petersen, and sometimes David Petersen Van Hoorn,) arrived in Delaware early in 1631, and erected a fort in that part called Hoorn Kill or Swanendell. Houses were built and agriculture began in the spring. This plantation was within Godyn's purchase, and (as Fort Nassau had been abandoned) was the only European settlement in Delaware. Mr. Moulton has sufficiently proved that the Swedes did not settle *there* until 1638, (which agrees with Duponceau) owing to the engagements and death of Gustavus Adolphus.

The pleasant sounding name of Pavonia no longer designates the territory of Patroon Pauw, but perhaps his name is found in that of a township or village on the border of our bay, where the primitive Dutch dress and manners have continued, with the language little changed to this time. The often, without cause, ridiculed name of Communipauw, seems to mark the commune or community planted there by the Patroon Pauw. Rensselaerwyk and the venerable *Colonie*, are never mentioned without suggesting the virtue of one Patroon, and perhaps Communipauw may be entitled to the respectful attention of the New York antiquary.

Messrs. Godyn, Bloemont and Van Rensselaer made the first settlement in Delaware, and the historian De Laet was one of the proprietors under them. This colony was antecedent to any in Pennsylvania or New Jersey, and was led by De Vries, who has written an account of the voyage, which is to be found in the Philadelphia library. By this voyage, the Netherlanders were the first occupants of Delaware.

De Vries left the Texel on the 12th December, 1630 ; ascended the river as high as the site of Philadelphia ; and as Fort Nassau, mentioned above, had been previously abandoned, all this country was in possession of the natives.

1632. De Vries, after residing a year with his colonists, returned home, and again coming to visit them found no remains but the bones of his countrymen. In the account as translated by Dr. G. Froost, of Philadelphia, the navigator says :—" We sounded at thirty-nine degrees, had fifty-seven fathoms, sand and smelled land, (the wind being N.W.) occasioned by the odour of the underwood, which at this time of the year," December, "is burned by the Indians in order to be less hindered in their hunting ; the 3d we saw the opening of the south bay, or south river ; we went the 5th in the bay ; we had a whale near the vessel ; we promised ourselves great things ; plenty of whales, and good land for cultivation."

They found the unburied remains of their former comrades ! A quarrel had occurred between them and the Indians, who, repenting their first hospitality, flew to arms and massacred the intruders before they had become strong enough to become masters of both natives and soil. As the Europeans tell the story, the natives purloined a plate of metal, on which the arms of the States-General were engraved, and affixed to it a column, as a token that they had certain claims to the soil, according to European usage. It is more probable that the Indians, by this inscription and column, had their suspicions awakened, that the country was claimed as being under the dominion of foreigners, when the natives, by selling the land, never meant to resign themselves or their country to any foreign authority whatever. The result was the destruction of the intruders.

In the meantime, Peter Minuits, who had been the first Director-General at New Amsterdam, and had superintended the colony formed upon the plan of **1621**, having some disagreement with the Dutch West India Company, returned to Holland, and the second Director-General, Wouter Van Twiller, arrived in this year **1633**.*

De Vries, finding only the ruins of his colony in Delaware, and narrowly escaping what is called the perfidy of the natives, sailed north after visiting Virginia, and arrived at New Amsterdam, shortly after Governor Van Twiller, under whose administration this year the Fort or trading-house of Good Hope was built on Fresh river, within the precincts of the present city of Hartford.†

The Netherlanders had not only discovered this river, but had actually purchased the land adjacent, on the 8th of January, **1633**, for the States-General, by their agent, Jacobus Van Curles.

The Indians called themselves Sequidins, and the river Sivacok. In the October following, the Dutch protested against William Holmes, who as commander or leader of men from Plymouth, "built a house on Fresh river." They desired him to desist, but he continued to occupy the land previously purchased by the Netherlanders, and to cultivate and build as though on his own property, and in a short time Hartford arose, and the Dutch found themselves enclosed by English plantations and an English town.

1634. Soon after the arrival of Van Twiller, he appears to have commenced agriculturist. One of his plantations was at Red Hook.

* A LIST OF THE RETURNS FROM NEW NETHERLANDS.

DATE.	BEAVERS.	OTTERS.	GUILDERS.
1624	4000	700	27,125
1625	5295	463	35,825
1626	7258	857	45,050
1627	7529	370	56,420
1628	6951	734	61,075
1629	5913	681	62,185
1630	6041	1085	68,012
1632	8569	546	94,925
	4944	1115	48,200
1633	8800	1383	91,375
1635	14891	1413	13,4925
			725,117

COST OF NEW NETHERLAND, NOW NEW YORK.

"The Dutch West India company failed in 1634, and from a statement of their accounts, drawn up in 1635, (part of which was in possession of Mr. Henry Kipp, late of New York, deceased, and from which this extract is made,) it appears that Fort Amsterdam in New Netherland, cost the company 4,172 guilders 10 stuyvers, and that New Netherlands (the province,) cost 412,800 guilders, 11 stuyvers."—HAZZARD.

† But the Dutch were soon conscious of the designs of the new English settlers, for in 1635, Hooker and Haynes conducted a colony of puritans to Fresh river, and planted them as neighbors to the Netherlanders; this was the commencement of the colony of Connecticut. The Dutch fort long remained in the possession of the original planters, but surrounded and sorely annoyed by English towns. In 1635, (July 7th,) Lord Say and Seal, Sir Arthur Hazelrigg, Sir Richard Saltonstal, Messrs. Lawrence, Daily and Fenwick, appointed John Winthrop, Jun., "Governor of the river Connecticut," New England, for one year: there to advance the company's service." He was instructed as "soon as he comes to the bay," to provide at least fifty men to build houses and make fortifications "at the river Connecticut and harbor adjoining." They are to build first "for their own present accommodation, and then such houses as may receive men of quality;" the latter within the fort. The planters are to "plant themselves at the harbour or near the mouth of the river. One thousand or fifteen hundred acres are to be reserved adjoining the fort for its maintenance.

Governor's Island, which is supposed always from the settlement to have been a perquisite of the Director-General for the time being, was so near Red Hook that cattle crossed the channel to and fro at low water. This channel has since become a passage for vessels, and is known under the name of Buttermilk Channel. It has been formed by washing away the lands of Long Island and part of Van Twiller's plantation. Under his administration both Dutch and English villages were settled on Long Island, and the land at Harlem was purchased from the Indian claimants. **1636.** Flatland, first called Ameford, was commenced. The inhabitants of each town settled by the English, adopted or framed laws for their own government; they armed themselves, and made military regulations for defence against the Indians; they established courts to prevent and punish crimes; they had trial by jury when required, the jury consisting of seven, and a majority deciding the question; they had town meetings which imposed taxes, and appointed tax gatherers. Each town judged of the character of any person proposing to become a member, and admitted or excluded him as his standing and opinions suited them. The New England colonies and the English towns on Long Island were peopled by republicans driven from Great Britain by civil and ecclesiastical tyranny.*

1637. Although the Dutch visited the Delaware for the purposes of trade, no effort at colonization was made from **1633** to **1637**, about which time the Swedes sent out a colony to that part of New Netherland; they were led and directed by Peter Minuits, who had been dismissed from the service of Holland, and now arrived in the Delaware.

About the same time that Sir William Kieft arrived† at New Amsterdam, **1638**, and succeeded Van Twiller in the directorship, Minuits arrived with a ship of war and a transport, and planted the Swedish colony at Christina. With the emigrants came out a minister and an engineer. They first landed at Cape Henlopen. Kieft considered this as an intrusion upon his territories, and sent a remonstrance to the Swedes. At the same time he found himself daily more and more crowded by the ever-thriving colonies of New England, particularly Connecticut.

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* In 1636, a warrant was given to the Lord Admiral to stop all ministers who are unconformable to the discipline and ceremonies of the church, from transporting themselves to the Summer Islands and other of his Majesty's plantations abroad, "where they take liberty to nourish and preserve their factious and schismatical humors, to the hindrance of good conformity and unity in the church." Therefore, no clergyman is to be henceforth permitted to go abroad to said places, without permission of the Archbishop of Canterbury and Bishop of London.

Rushworth—"The severe censures of the Star Chamber, and the greatness of the fines &c., and suspending and silencing multitudes of ministers for not reading in the church the book for sports to be exercised on the Lord's day, caused many of the nation, both ministers and others, to sell their estates and set sail for New England (a late plantation in America), where they hold a plantation by patent from the King."

In 1637, the English government seem to have been alarmed by the great number of people who left the country to go to the plantations; and the 30th April, the King issued his proclamation against the disorderly transporting his subjects to the plantations; he having been informed that great numbers of his subjects are every year transported into those parts of America which have been granted by patent to several persons, and these subjects transported, or transporting themselves for the purpose of living "without the reach of authority;" "he therefore commands all officers, &c., not to permit any persons, being "subsidy men," to embark at any port, &c., without certificate of conformity to the church of England. And on the first of May, 1638, the Privy Council made another order for reasons importing to the state, best known to themselves, to stay eight ships now in the river Thames, preparing to go for New England, and for putting on land all the passengers and provisions, &c. And for as much as his Majesty know, the factious dispositions of a great part of the people of that plantation, prohibits all ships to set forth" with passengers for New England, without permission from the Lords of the Privy Council.

† In this year the first printing press was sent out to British America, and in 1639 the first printing was done; whereas, in Mexico, Mr. Thomas, in his History of Printing, tells us that a press was set up in 1569, and gazettes published in the seventeenth century.

The first gazette of the English colonies, was the Boston News Letter in 1704. Samuel Greene commenced printing in Cambridge in 1639, and his son Bartholomew printed the first gazette in English America, at Boston, on the seventeenth of April, 1704, on a half sheet of "pet paper."

Already the territory of the Pequot Indians had been declared the just and rightful property of the English colonists by conquest. On the twentieth day of September, "at a general," it was declared that "whereas the Lord had delivered the Pequots into the hands of the Court, and thereby given a just title to all their lands, both at Pecoit and Quenapiack, and the parts beyond towards the Dutch, the Court declares that they and their 'associates upon Connecticut,' have 'just right and title' to 'all the said lands and territories.'" They accordingly proceed to appoint a time for the planting or selling this territory, to pay by sales to the settlers a part of the expense of the war of conquest. It is well to notice, that it was only in 1635 that the Massachusetts emigrants, who, under the directorship of Kieft's predecessor, Van Twiller, had purchased the lands claimed by the Dutch on Connecticut river, from the Pequots, who, led by their chief Sacacus, had driven off the native chiefs, and had a just claim by conquest to this territory; but Sacacus having quarreled, or being driven into quarrels with the English, he and his Pequots were subjugated, and the above just title is given to the people of New England.

[SELECTED FROM THE DOCUMENTARY HISTORY OF NEW YORK, TRANSLATED FROM THE DUTCH RECORDS, BY DOCTOR O'CALLAGHAN.]

REPORT OF HIS EXCELLENCY
WILLIAM TRYON, ESQUIRE,

Captain General and Governor in Chief in and over the province of New York and the territories depending thereon in America, Chancellor and Vice-Admiral of the same—on certain heads of enquiry relative to the present state and condition of His Majesty's said province.

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Question No. 1.

What is the situation of the Province under your Government, the nature of the Country soil and Climate: the Latitudes and Longitudes of the most considerable places in it: have those Latitudes and Longitudes been settled by good Observations, or only by common Computations, and from whence are the longitudes computed?

Answer.

Situation of the province.

The Province of New York is situated on the Atlantic Ocean which washes its Southern shores: The Colonies of Connecticut, Massachusetts Bay, and New Hampshire lying to the East, Quebec to the North, and New Jersey, Pennsylvania and the Indian Country to the West.

Nature of the Country and its soil.

The face of the country is every where uneven, with all the variety of Soil to be found any where. In the Northern parts are lowlands enriched by the overflowing of Rivers, but little of this sort lies within seventy miles of the city of New York the Metropolis—The soil in general is much thinner and lighter in the Southern, than the Northern Parts and having been longer under Culture and subject to bad Husbandry, is much more exhausted.

Climate.

The Province extending nearly Four Degrees and a half of Latitude the difference of Climate between the Southern and Northern Parts is remarkable. In Summer the Heat is sometimes excessive, and in general much greater than in England —Melons and many other things are raised here by the natural warmth of the Climate which in England require the aid of Hot Beds and Glasses—The Winter in all parts of the Province is more severe than in England, tho' the Latitude of London is about ten Degrees more North than the City of New York—Even in the Southern Part the Mercury in Farren-

hight's Thermometer sinks some Degrees below 0 and rises to 90° but these extremes are always of short Duration.—At Albany and to the Northward of that City the Harvest is about a Month later than at New York, and the Winter is much earlier. Hudson's River is generally frozen over many miles below Albany before the middle of December but no Quantity of Ice is found in the River within thirty miles of the City of New York, earlier than the Month of January—In March the Navigation is again open up to Albany ; And it is observed the Seasons both as to Heat and Cold grow more temperate.

Latitudes.

The Latitudes of the following places have been determined by good observations.

The Light House at Sandy Hook	40°	27′	40″
Fort George City of New York	40	41	50
Mouth of Mackhackamac Branch of Delaware, where the Line settled between New York and New Jersey terminates	41	21	37
City of Albany	42	36	00
The South End of Lake George	43	16	12
Crown Point	43	50	07
Windmill Point	44	57	18
Point au Pine	44	58	48
Moores Point	45	00	00

Longitude.

The Longitude of the City of New York has been found by good Observations of the Satellites of Jupiter to be 74° 38 West from London.

Question No. 2.

What are the reputed Boundaries, and are any parts disputed and by whom ?

Answer.

Boundaries of the Province.

The Boundaries of the Province of New York are derived from Two Sources.—First, the Grants from King Charles the Second to his Brother James Duke of York dated the 12th March 1663|4 and the 29 June 1674, which were intended to convey to the Duke all the Lands claimed by the Dutch, the first occupants of this Colony.—Secondly, from the Submission and Subjection of the Five Nations of Indians to the Crown of England.

As grounded on the Grants from Charles the 2d to James Duke of York.

The Descriptive part of both the Duke's Grants is in the same Words and exclusive of the Territory Eastward of Connecticut River, since granted to the Massachusetts Bay by their Charter of 1691, comprehends "All that Island or Islands commonly called Mattawacks or Long Island, together with Hudson's River, and all the Land from the West side of Connecticut River to the East side of Delaware Bay." Connecticut river extends beyond, and Hudson's River takes its rise a little to the Southward of the Forty fifth Degree of Northern Latitude ; and as a Line from the Head of the River Connecticut to Delaware Bay, would exclude the greatest part of Hudson's River, which is expressly granted to the Duke of York, the Boundary most consistent with the Grants to the Duke, and the claim of New York founded thereon, is a Line from the Head of the Connecticut River to the Source of

Hudson's River, thence to the Head of the Mohawk Branch of the Hudson's river and thence to the East side of the Delaware Bay.

That this has been the reputed Boundary under the Duke's Title has been confirmed by the Grants of this Government extending Westward nearly to the Head of the Mohawk Branch of the Hudson's river, and Southward of that Branch to within a few miles of the North Boundary of Pensylvania.

No other construction will justify the Terms of the Grants to the Duke, nor any lines less comprehensive include the Lands patented by this Province or ceded to the Crown by the Indians, at the Treaty at Fort Stanwix in 1768.

And as grounded on the claim of the Five Nations of Indians.

The Second source of the Title of this Government is grounded on the Claim of the Five Nations who are in the Treaty of Utrecht acknowledged by France to be subject to Great Britain.

Soon after the English conquered this Country from the Dutch, pursuing their system of Policy, they entered into a strict Alliance with the Natives who by Treaties with this Colony, subjected themselves to the Crown of England, and their Lands to its protection, and from this period were always treated as Subjects, and their Country considered by this Government as part of the Province of New York, which probably gave rise to the extended Jurisdiction of the Colony beyond the Duke's Grants, signified by the Words "The Territories depending thereon" which are found in all the Commissions of the Crown to its Governors. Nor has the Crown, except by the Confirmation of the Agreement fixing the Boundary of Connecticut at about Twenty miles East of Hudson's River at any Time contracted the jurisdiction of the Colony Westward of Connecticut River & Southward of the Latitude 45 the Proclamation of His present Majesty of the 7th of October 1763, leaving the jurisdiction Southward of that Latitude as it stood before, tho' it prohibits for the present the further Extension of the Grants and Settlements into the Country thereby reserved to the Indians, to avoid giving Umbrage to that People who complained they were too much straitned in their hunting grounds. It is uncertain to this Day to what Extent the Five Nations carried their claim to the Westward and Northward but there is no doubt it went to the North beyond the 45 Degree of Latitude and Westward to Lake Huron, their Beaver Hunting Country being bounded to the West by that Lake, which Country the Five Nations by Treaty with the Governor of this Province at Albany in 1701, surrendered to the Crown to be protected and defended for them—Mitchel in his Map extends their claim much further Westward and he is supported in this opinion by Maps and other Authorities very Ancient and Respectable.

The above Treaty of 1701 is to be found among the Records of Indian Transactions but it is recited and the Surrender made thereby confirmed in a Deed dated the 14th September 1726 by which the Seneca, Cayouga and Onondaga Nations also surrender'd their Habitations to King George the first, a Copy whereof is inserted in the article of the Appendix, Number 1.

Oswego on the South side of Lake Ontario was first established by this Colony about 1724, a Garrison of the King's

Troops supported there at the Expence of this Government, and the Jurisdiction of New York actually exercised Westward to Oswego and its Vicinity until the Commencement of Hostilities in the late war.

His Majesty's Order of the 20 July 1764 confirming the Ancient Limits as granted the Duke declares "The Western "Banks of the River Connecticut from where it enters the "Province of the Massachusetts Bay as far North as the Forty "fifth Degree of Northern Latitude, to be the Boundary Line "between the two Provinces of New Hampshire and New York: And if the Agreement lately concluded at Hartford should finally be ratified by the Crown, the Eastern Limits of this Colony where it borders on the Massachusetts Province, will extend about twenty miles only East from Hudson's river.

Description of Boundary supposing the Colony to include the Beaver hunting Country surrendered to the Crown by Treaty with this Province in 1701.

Without any view to the more Westerly claim of the Five Nations, supposing the Colony to comprize within its Limits or Jurisdiction the Country those Nations Surrendered to the Crown by the Description of the Beaver Hunting Country as before mentioned—The Boundaries of the Province of New York are as follow.

ON THE SOUTH

The Atlantic Ocean, including Long Island, Staten Island, and others of less note.

ON THE WEST

The Banks of Hudson's River from Sandy Hook, on the Ocean, to the 41 Degree of Latitude, thence the Line established between New York and New Jersey to Delaware River—Thence the River Delaware to the North East Corner of Pensylvania or the Beginning of the Latitude 43, which in Mitchel's Map is by mistake carried thro' the whole of that degree—Thence the North Boundary Line of Pensylvania to the Northwest Corner of that Province, and continuing the same Line to a point in Lake Erie which bears due South from the East Bank of the Streights of D'Etroit and of Lake Huron to the Forty Fifth Degree of Northern Latitude.

ON THE NORTH

A Line from a point on the East bank of Lake Huron in the Latitude of Forty Five East to the River St. Lawrence, or the South Boundary Line of Quebec; Thence along the South Boundary Line of that Province across the River St. Lawrence to the Monument on the East Bank of Lake Champlain fixed there in the 45 Degree of Northern Latitude; Thence East along the Line already run and marked to the Monument or Station fixed on the West Bank of the River Connecticut in the same Latitude.

ON THE EAST

The Western Banks of the River Connecticut from the last mentioned Station to the South-west corner of the Province of New Hampshire, in the North boundary Line of the Massachusetts bay; and from thence along that Line (if continued) and the Western limits of the Province of Massachusetts Bay, and the Colony of Connecticut.

In the Appendix N°. 4, is a MAP of the Province of New York according to the preceding Description of its Boundaries.

Disputes that may still arise with Massachusetts Bay, in respect to the Limits of this Province.

The Boundary of the Province of New York (in respect to the other Governments) being established in every part except where it borders to the East on the Massachusetts Bay, it was conceived the late agreement with that Province when ratified by the Crown, would extinguish every Controversy respecting the Limits of New York, the North Boundary Line of the Massachusetts having in the year 1740 been ascertained by a Royal Decree of the King in Privy Council in the Contest between that Province & New Hampshire. But the Massachusets Commissaries at the late Meeting at Hartford in 1773 declared that they had no authority to settle their North Boundary which they considered as undetermined with respect to New York, and one of those Gentlemen intimated that they still left open their Western Claim to the South Sea.

Hence two very important Disputes may still arise of great Consequence to the Interests of the Crown, as well as the property of His Majesty's subjects of this Colony.

Observations on the Massachusetts Northern Claim.

The Massachusetts Northern Claim beyond the Line settled between that Province and New Hampshire, extends north from that Line about Fifty miles, and from thence Westward to within Twenty Miles East of Hudson's River, and after passing this Province, is commensurate with their Western Claim to the South Sea—The immediate object of their Northern Claim is a country between Connecticut & Hudson's Rivers about Fifty Miles in length and about Forty in breadth and includes not only the greater part of the County of Cumberland, but a large District of the Counties of Albany and Charlotte.—The Lands there in question are wholly appropriated under Grants of this Province [and ?] of New Hampshire, and the Families settled thereon are not less than Two Thousand, tho' they probably exceed that number.

The Massachusetts Bay long acquiesced in the Royal Decree of 1740, the Line established by that Decision hath actually been run and marked from the south West Corner of New Hampshire Westward, to within about Twenty miles East of Hudson's River, and the Inhabitants of New York and the Massachusets Bay have deemed that Line to be the utmost Extent of the Massachusetts North Boundary, whatever might have been determined as to their Western Limits. And that this was the sense of the General Court of that Province soon after the Treaty of 1767, for settling the Boundary of the Two Provinces, appears clearly by their Resolution of the 23d. January 1768 in these Words "Resolved that this Court will concede to and confirm the last proposal made by their Commissioners on the part of New York at their late Conference in the Words of the Report of the Lords of Trade and Plantations in May 1757, That a Streight Line be drawn Northerly from a point on the Southern Line of the Massachusetts Bay Twenty Miles due East from Hudson's River, to another point Twenty Miles due East from the said River, *on the Line which divides the Province of the Massachusetts Bay from New Hampshire*, be the Eastern Boundary of New-York."

Nor can any Line more favorable to the Massachusetts Colony be hereafter established, without subverting the Principles,

and calling in question the Justice of the Royal Decree pronounced in 1740 after full hearing of the merits of the Massachusetts claim on the appeal of both parties to the King in Privy Council; and which could it now be effected, must not only prove highly injurious to the Crown in respect to the right of Soil, its Quit Rents & Escheats, but be productive of the greatest disorder and confusion in that Country.

Remarks on the claim of Massachusetts Bay Westw'rd to the South Sea, Shewing a Defect in their Title as a Corporation and the propriety of raising this as an objection, should they prosecute their claim to a North Boundary beyond the present Line Established between that Province and New Hampshire or their Western claim to the South Sea.

The Province of Massachusetts Bay ground their claim Westward to the South Sea on the Deed dated 19th March 1627|8 from the Council of Plimouth to Sir Henry Roswell &c. and their Associates.—As also on the Charter or Letters Patent of Charles the First dated the 4 March 1628–9—The Lands granted are the same in both, being in breadth about Sixty Miles, and extending as described in these Instruments "From the Atlantic and Western Sea and Ocean on the East part to the South Sea on the West part."

But the Crown being divested of these Lands by the Grant to the Council of Plimouth in 1620, could not pass them by its Charter of 1628–9, which had no other operation than to form the Massachusetts Bay into a Province, and to invest the same with Powers as a Body Corporate.

It became necessary therefore for the Massachusetts Bay after they were incorporated, to obtain a Conveyance to the Corporation of the Lands granted to Roswell &c. and Associates.—That they obtained such Conveyance has not been pretended.—If they had, the Crown either became reseized of the Lands of the Corporation by the Judgment in 1684 which Vacated the Letters Patent of 1628–9 or the Property reverted to the Grantees of the Council of Plymouth.

Had the Crown been reseized it might have passed the same Lands to the Massachusetts Province by the present Charter of 1691. But instead of so extensive and unreasonable a Grant of Three Thousand Miles in length they obtained, it is true, by that Charter a great addition of Territory Eastward but were confined in their Western limits which extend "towards the South Sea as far as the Colonies of Rhode Island, Connecticut and the Narragansett Country." This Description in strict Construction of Law will carry the Massachusetts Bay West no further than the Eastern Bounds of Connecticut, and by the most liberal interpretation do not extend their Boundary beyond the West Line of Connecticut, then and for some years before determined by Agreement between that Colony and New York to be upwards of Twenty Miles East of Hudson's River.

On the other hand admitting the Massachusetts Bay after their charter of 1628–9, and before it was vacated in 1684, did not obtain a Conveyance of the Lands granted to Roswell &c. and Associates, the Judgment which vacated that charter did not affect the Lands but left the Title in Roswell &c. and Associates, and the Crown could not by the Charter of 1691, grant them to the Massachusetts Colony; So that the Title, *if any exists*, must at this day be vested in the heirs or assigns of Roswell &c. and Associates in their private Right, and not in the Government of the Massachusetts Bay, unless transferred to or vested in the latter by some act of their Provincial Legislature, if such an Act could possibly have any Efficacy.

It is however presumed no Law of that Tendency has been

passed, and if any should hereafter be presented for His Majesty's approbation, that it will be objected to (so far as it may countenance the extension of their Northern or Western claims beyond the Limits of their present Charter) as a measure calculated to divest the Crown of the right of Soil in that very large and extensive Territory, which lies Westward of the Colony of New York *to the South Sea.*

This claim had it been considered as well grounded would long since have been prosecuted and brought to a decision.—The Massachusetts General Court or Assembly assert it in a Resolve they passed on the 23d of January 1768, but whether with an intention to maintain it, Time must discover.—A claim so long dormant, can hardly be expected under any circumstances to be now revived with a prospect of success, & whatever Judgment the Assembly of the Massachusetts Bay may have formed certainly their present Governor had no opinion of its solidity, when at a late Meeting of the Commissaries of both Provinces at Hartford in 1773 he declared "That it was a mere Ideal, Visionary project, in which he believed Nobody to be sincere," and discovered an anxiety least it should interrupt the progress of the Treaty.

Question No. 3.

What is the size and extent of the Province, the number of Acres supposed to be contained therein; What part thereof is cultivated and improved; and under what Title do the Inhabitants hold their possessions?

Answer.

Size and extent of the Province.

The Extent of the Province from North to South is about 300 Statute miles. Nassau Island (commonly called Long Island) is situated to the South, its length from East to West, is about 150 miles, and its breadth on a medium fifteen miles; The breadth of the Province Northward of this Island is various. From the city of New York North about 20 miles up the Country, the breadth does not exceed 14 miles, and lies wholly on the East side of Hudson's River, New Jersey being bounded by the opposite shore—From the 41st Degree of Latitude the Province extends on both sides of that River; soon widens to about 60 miles; and increases in breadth up to the 42d Degree, where it is about 80 miles wide; supposing the Western Boundary to extend to the line mentioned in the Answer to the preceding Question No. 2, the extent from the 42d Degree to the North Line of Mssachusetts Bay (a distance of 49 miles) is about 456 miles, and from thence to the 45th Degree, it extends East & West on a Medium about 500 miles, and on the like supposition the number of square miles contained within this Province exclusive of the Lakes is 82,112 or 52,551,680 acres, which is one fourth less than the number contained in the Province of Quebec.

Parts cultivated.

Nassau or Long Island which contains Kings, Queens and Suffolk Counties.—Staten Island which forms Richmond County and the Counties of New York, Westchester, Dutchess, Orange and Ulster, are all well inhabited, and not many large Tracts of improveable land are left uncultivated.—The County of Albany tho' the Inhabitants are numerous, and the Lands in general under Cultivation in the South, contains extensive and valuable

Tracts unimproved in the North Part.*—Tryon County, tho' thinly settled, as its extent is great, has many Inhabitants.† The cultivated parts of Charlotte County are inconsiderable, compared with what remains to be settled and the same may be remarked with respect to the Counties of Cumberland and Gloucester.‡—In the Appendix is a list of the Inhabitants White and Black in the respective Counties, according to the returns of their numbers in **1771**, since which they are greatly augmented, but it is to be observed that the new counties of Charlotte and Tryon were then part of Albany.

The proportion of the cultivated to the uncultivated parts of the Province (the Limits as stated in No. **2**) is as one to four; or one fifth only improved.

Titles under which lands are held.

With respect to the Titles under which the Inhabitants hold their possessions; Before the Province was granted on **12** March **1663–4** by King Charles the Second to his brother James Duke of York, the Dutch West India Company had seized it, made settlements and Issued many Grants of Land. In August **1664** the Country was surrendered by the Dutch to the English, and by the 3d Article of the Terms of Capitulation it was stipulated "That all People shall continue free Denizens and shall enjoy their Lands, Houses, and goods, wheresoever they are within this Country and dispose of them as they please." Some lands of the Province are held under the old Dutch Grants without any confirmation of their Titles under the crown of England, but the ancient Records are replete with confirmatory Grants, which the Dutch Inhabitants were probably the more solicitous to obtain from an Apprehension that the Dutch conquest of the Province in **1673**, might render their Titles under the former articles of Capitulation precarious; tho' the Country was finally restored to the English by the Treaty signed at Westminster the 9th Feby **1674**.

From that period it has remained in the possession of the English, and the Duke of York on the 29th of June **1674**, obtained a new Grant from the King, of all the Territories included within the former Letters Patent in **1663–4**.

During the life of King Charles the Second, the Duke of York as proprietor of the Soil, passed many Grants (by his Governor) in Fee, and since his accession to the Throne, Grants have continued to issue under the Great Seal of the Province, in consequence of the Powers given the several Governors by their Commissions and Instructions from the Crown—Two instances only occur of Grants or Letters Patent for Lands under the Great Seal of Great Britain —One to Sir Joseph Eyles and others on the 15th May in the 4th year of His late Majesty King George the Second for a tract of **62,000** acres, called the Equivalent

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* Albany County at this date included the present Counties of Greene, Columbia, Albany, Rensselaer, Schenectady and Saratoga.

† This County was taken from Albany County in 1772, and named in honour of Wm. Tryon then the Governor of the Province. In 1784 it was changed to that of Montgomery. When formed it embraced all that part of the State lying West of a line running North & South nearly through the centre of the present County of Scoharie.—Campbell's Annals of Tryon County, New York 1831, p. 27.

‡ Charlotte County embraced what now are Franklin, Clinton, Essex, Warren & Washington Counties in this State, and the West half of the State of Vermont; Cumberland & Gloucester lay on the West bank of the Connecticut river and extended from Canada to the Massachusetts boundary; the South line of the towns of Tunbridge, Strafford and Thetford being the division between the two. Westward they ran to the East bounds of Charlotte. Cumberland was erected in 1766; Gloucester in 1770, and Charlotte was taken from Albany in 1772, at the same time as Tryon.

Land from its having been ceded to New York by the Colony of Connecticut (on the settlement of the boundary between the two Provinces) in lieu of a like quantity yielded up to Connecticut by the Province of New York—The other lately, to Sir William Johnson Baronet—The Lands granted to Sir Joseph Eyles and his associates are not possessed by them or their assigns, Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Province of New York having passed to others for the same Lands, before it was known here that the Royal Grant was obtained; and the Lands are now in possession of the New York Patentees or their assigns.*

These are all the different modes by which the Inhabitants have derived any legal Titles to their Lands within the Limits of this Province, whence it appears that all their lawful titles to Lands in Fee, except in cases of old Dutch Grants unconfirmed, originated from the Crown either *mediately* thro' the Duke of York before his Accession to the Throne, or *immediately* by Grants under the Great Seal of Great Britain or of this Province.

Purchases from the Indian Natives, as of their aboriginal right have never been held to be a legal Title in this Province, the Maxim obtaining here, as in England, that the King is the Fountain of all real property, and that from this source all real Titles are to be derived.

Question No. 4.

What Rivers are there and of what Extent & Convenience in point of Commerce ?

Answer.

Hudsons River is the only Navigable River in the Province, and affords a safe and easy Passage for Vessels of Eighty Tons Burthen to the city of Albany, which is about 180 miles from the sea—It has already been mentioned that it extends nearly to the Latitude of 45—but the Navigation, except for small Vessels terminates at or near that City.—To the Northward of Albany about Ten Miles this River divides. The Western Branch which (above the Great Cahoo Falls) is called the Mohawk River, or the Mohawk Branch of Hudson's River leads to Fort Stanwix, and a short cut across the carrying Place there might be made into Wood Creek which runs into the Oneida Lake, and thence thro' the Onondaga River into Lake Ontario. Rivers.

The other Branch being the continuation of the main River tends to Fort Edward, to the North of which it seems practicable to open a passage by Locks &c. to the Waters of Lake Champlain which communicate with the River St. Lawrence, passing over the Falls at St. Johns.

Both Branches are interrupted by Falls and Rifts, to surmount these obstructions an Expense would be required too heavy for the Province at present to support, but when effected would open a most effective inland navigation, equal perhaps to any as yet known.

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* This tract, otherwise called "The Oblong," lies along the eastern line of Putnam and Dutchess counties, extending from the north line of Cortland Manor to about the south bounds of Livingston Manor in Columbia co., as laid down in Le Rouge's Map of the Prov. of N. Y.; also in Sauthier's Map of New York, 1776, 1779. Further particulars regarding the controversy may be learned by reference to Book of Patents xi., i.; Deed Books xiv, 133; xvii., 457, 471. (in Sec.'s Office.) Also Smith's History, ed. 1829-30, i., 285-288; ii., 13, 29.

Between Nassau or Long Island and the Continent the greatest Distance scarcely exceeds Twenty Miles. Near the City of New York it is less than one Mile, and is there called the East River, and from thence bears the appellation of the sound. The River and Sound afford Navigation for Vessels of any Burthen towards the Collonies of Connecticut, Rhode Island and the Massachusetts Bay, in some degree hazardous however at the noted place distinguished by the name of Hell Gate about six Miles East of the City of New York.

Connecticut River where it divides this Province from New Hampshire is included within the Limits of the latter.

Question No. 5.

What are the Principal Harbours, how situated and of what extent ; and what is the Depth of Water & nature of Anchorage in each ?

Answer.

Harbours.

There is but one principal Harbour which is the Port of New York being that part of the East River fronting the City and lying between that and Long Island.—The Harbour is in length from the North East to the Southwest about two miles, and its Breadth across to Long Island about one mile. The Depth of water from Four to Eight Fathom, tho' at some places no more at low Water than Ten Feet. In Nip Tides the Water rises about Four Feet and an half, at the Full and Change of the Moon, Six, and if at those Seasons a strong Easterly Wind prevails the rise of the Tides increase to Eight Feet. The Anchorage is good in a bottom of mud ; there is only one remarkable Reef of Rocks about mid-channel, half a mile within the Entrance ; And the Harbour being shelter'd in front by Long Island; to the East by a sudden bend in the River ; and to the West by Nutten Island ; Vessels during the hardest Gales ride in great safety, and are only incommoded a few days in the Winter by the floating Ice.

The Map in the Appendix marked N° 3, presents a full view of the Harbour, the situation of Sandy Hook, and shews the Depth of Water from thence up to the Port.*

Question No. 6.

What is the Constitution of the Government ?

Answer.

Constitution of the Government

By the Grants of this Province and other Territories to the Duke of York in 1663–4 and 1674, the powers of Government were vested in him, and were accordingly exercised by his Governors until he ascended the Throne when his Rights as Proprietor merged in his Crown, and the Province ceased to be a charter Governmt

From that time it has been a Royal Government, and in its Constitution nearly resembles that of Great Britain and the other Royal Governments in America. The Governor is appointed by the King during his Royal Will and pleasure by Letters Pattent under the Great Seal of Great Britain with

* None of these Maps are in the London Documents.

very ample Powers. He has a Council in Imitation of His Majesty's Privy Council.—This Board when full consists of Twelve Members who are also appointed by the Crown during Will & Pleasure ; any three of whom make a Quorum.—The Province enjoys a Legislative Body, which consists of the Governor as the King's Representative ; the Council in the place of the House of Lords, and the Representatives of the People, who are chosen as in England : Of these the City of New York sends four.—All the other Counties (except the New Counties of Charlotte & Gloucester as yet not represented) send Two.—The Borough of Westchester, the Township of Schenectady and the three Manors of Rensselaerwyck, Livingston and Cortlandt each send one ; in the whole forming a Body of Thirty one Representatives.

The Governor by his Commission is authorized to convene them with the advice of the Council, and adjourn, prorogue or dissolve the General Assembly as he shall judge necessary.

This Body has not power to make any Laws repugnant to the Laws and Statutes of Great Britain. All Laws proposed to be made by this Provincial Legislature, pass thro' each of the Houses of Council and Assembly, as Bills do thro' the House of Commons and House of Lords in England, and the Governor has a Negative voice in the making and passing of all such Laws. Every Law so passed is to be transmitted to His Majesty under the Great Seal of the Province, within Three months or sooner after the making thereof and a Duplicate by the next conveyance, in order to be approved or disallowed by His Majesty ; And if His Majesty shall disallow any such Law and the same is signified to the Governor under the Royal Sign Manual or by Order of his Majesty's Privy Council, from thenceforth such law becomes utterly void.—A law of the Province has limited the duration of the Assembly to seven years.

The Common Law of England is considered as the Fundamental law of the Province, and it is the received Doctrine that all the Statutes (not Local in their Nature, and which can be fitly applied to the circumstances of the Colony) enacted before the Province had a Legislature, are binding upon the Colony, but that Statutes passed since do not affect the Colony, unless by being specially named, such appears to be the Intentions of the British Legislature.

The Province has a Court of Chancery in which the Governor or Commander in chief sits as Chancellor and the Practice of the Court of Chancery in England is pursued as closely as possible. The officers of this Court consist of a Master of the Rolls newly created—Two Masters.—Two Clerks in Court.—A Register.—An Examiner, and a Serjeant at Arms.

Of the Courts of Common Law the Chief is called the Supreme Court.—The Judges of which have all the powers of the King's Bench, Common Pleas and Exchequer in England This Court sits once every three months at the City of New-York, and the practice therein is modelled upon that of the King's Bench at Westminster —Tho' the judges have the powers of the Court of Exchequer they never proceed upon the Equity side.— The court has no Officers but one Clerk, and is not organized nor supplied with any Officers in that Department of the Exchequer, which in England has the care of the revenue.—The judges of

the Supreme Court hold their offices during the King's Will and Pleasure and are Judges of Nisi prius of Course by act of Assembly, & Annually perform a Circuit through the Counties. —The Decisions of this Court in General are final unless where the Value exceeds £300. Sterling, in which case the subject may be relieved from its errors *only* by an application to the Governor & Council, and where the Value exceeds £500 sterling an appeal lies from the Judgment of the latter to His Majesty in Privy Council.

By an Act of the Legislature of the Province suits are prohibited to be brought in the Supreme Court where the Value demanded does not exceed £20. Currency.

The Clerk's Office of the Supreme Court has always been held as an Appendage to that of the Secretary of the Province.

There is also in each County an Inferior Court of Common Pleas, which has the Cognizance of all actions real, personal & mixed, where the matter in demand is above £5. in value.— The practice of these Courts is a mixture between the Kings Bench and Common Pleas at Westminster —Their Errors are corrected in the first Instance by Writ of Error brought into the Supreme Court ; and the Judges hold their offices during pleasure.—The Clerks of these Courts also hold their offices during pleasure and are appointed by the Governor, except the Clerk of Albany who is appointed under the King's Mandate.

Besides these Courts the Justices of peace are by Act of Assembly empowered to try all causes to the amount of £5. Currency, (except where the Crown is concerned or where the Title of Lands shall come into Question ;—and Actions of Slander) but the parties may either of them demand a jury of Six men.—If wrong is done to either party, the person injured may have a Certiorari from the Supreme Court, tho' the remedy is very inadequate.

The Courts of Criminal Jurisdiction are Correspondent to those in England —The Supreme Court exercises it in the City of New York, as the King's Bench does at Westminster.—The Judges when they go the Circuit have a Commission of Oyer and Terminer and General Goal Delivery ; and there are Courts of Sessions held by the Justices of the peace ; the powers of which and their proceedings correspond with the like Courts in England.—The Office of Clerk of the Sessions, is invariably connected with that of the Clerk of the Inferior Court of Common Pleas in the respective Counties.

By acts of the Provincial Legislature the Justices of the Peace have an extraordinary Jurisdiction with respect to some offences by which any three Justices, (one being of the Quorum) where the offender does not find Bail in 48 Hours after being in the Custody of the Constable, may try the party without any* or a jury, for any offence under the Degree of Grand Larceny ; and inflict any punishment for these small offences at their discretion, so that it exceeds [qy ? extends] not to Life or Limb.—And any three Justices of the Peace (one being of the Quorum) and Five Freeholders have power without a Grand or Petty Jury to proceed against and try in a Summary Way, Slaves offending in certain cases, and punish them even with death.

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The Duty of His Majesty's Attorney General of the Province is similar to the Duty of that Officer in England, and the Master of the Crown Office: He is appointed by the Crown during Pleasure, and His Majesty has no Solicitor General nor Council in the Province, to assist the Attorney General upon any Occasion.

There are two other Courts in the Province. The Court of Admiralty which proceeds after the Course of the Civil Law in matters within its Jurisdiction, which has been so enlarged by divers Statutes as to include almost every breach of the Acts of Trade.—From this Court an appeal lies to a Superior Court of Admiralty, lately Established in North America by Statute, before this Establishment an appeal only lay to the High Court of Admiralty of England.

The Prerogative Court concerns itself only in the Probate of wills and in matters relating to the Administration of the Estates of Intestates and in granting Licenses of Marriage. The Governor is properly the Judge of this Court but it has been usual for him to act in general by a Delegate.

The Province is at present divided into fourteen Counties, viz^{t}—The City and County of New York—The Connty of Albany—Richmond (which comprehends the whole of Staten Island) Kings, Queens & Suffolk (which include the whole of Nassau or Long Island) Westchester, Dutches, Ulster, Orange, Cumberland, Gloucester, Charlotte and Tryon.—For each of these Counties a Sheriff and one or more Coroners are appointed by the Governor who hold their offices during pleasure.

As to the Military power of the Province, the Governor for the time being is the Captain General and Commander in Chief and appoints all the Provincial Military officers during pleasure.

Question No. 7.

What is the Trade of the Province, the Number of Shipping belonging thereto, their Tonnage, and the number of seafaring Men with respect to the Increase and Diminution within ten years past?

Answer.

Trade of the Province.

The Province carries on a considerable Trade with the British Settlements on the Continent of North America, supplying some of them with the produce of the Colony, others with British Manufactures and West India goods. The Trade to the British West Indies is extensive they having a constant demand for provisions and Lumber of all kinds, which articles are the natural produce of this Province.

The returns from the American Ports and West India Islands, are made in such produce and manufactures of the Provinces and Islands as best suit the Trade and consumption of this Colony—There are also fitted out from the Port of New York several Whaling and Fishing Vessels.

Number of Vessels and Quantity of Tonnage & Number of Seafaring Men

The above together with the Trade of Great Britain, Ireland, Affrica and the foreign ports in Europe and the West Indias as stated in the Answers to Questions No. 8 and No. 9, include the whole Trade of the Province which employed

In the year	Vessels	Tons Burthen.	Men.
1762	477	19,514	3,552
In 1772	709	29,132	3,372
	232	9,618	178

So that the increase of shipping in that period of Ten years is 232 Vessels and of the Tonnage or Burthen 9,618 Tons.—And the Decrease of men 178. A less number of Hands being employed on board of Vessels in peace, than they sail with in time of War.

Question No. 8.

What Quantity or sorts of British Manufactures do the Inhabitants annually take from hence, What Goods and Commodities are exported from thence to Great Britain, and what is the annual Amount at an Average ?

Answer.

Imports from Great Britain.

More than Eleven Twelfths of the Inhabitants of this Province both in the necessary and ornamental parts of their Dress are cloathed in British Manufactures, except Linen from Ireland and Hats and Shoes manufactured here. The same proportion of Houses are in like manner furnished with British Manufactures, except Cabinet and Joiner's Work which is Generally made here.

When the number of Inhabitants are considered, a better idea may be formed of the Quantity and variety of sorts of British Manufactures used in this Province, than can be done by enuumerating the names under which they are imported.

Besides the Articles necessary for cloathing and Furniture, there are imported from Great Britain, large Quantities of all kinds of East India Goods. Grocery of all sorts (except Sugars, Coffee, and Ginger) Ironmongery, Arms, Gunpowder, Lead, Tin, Sheet Copper, Drugs, Brimstone, Grindstones, Coals, Chalk, Sail Cloth, Cordage, Paints, Malt Liquors & Cheese.—There are indeed few articles the British Market affords, but what are in some proportion imported here, except such as are among our Staple Commodities, particularly mentioned in the Answer to No. 11.

If the Brokers in Great Britain employed as shippers of goods were for one year obliged to give in the Value of the Goods when they apply for Cockets, the exact amount of what the Inhabitants of each Province in America take from thence would be easily ascertained. In this country it is not possible to make such a calculation with any Degree of Precision, for as the Amount of Goods never appears in the Cockets, no Judgment can be formed of their Value from the Quantity or Number of pieces.—Silks for Instance come out from 25s to 2 shillings per yard, and in general the other Articles differ in the same proportion from the first cost of the highest to that of the lowest in quality.

Value of articles imported from Great Britain.

When no particular stop is put upon Trade with Great Britain, it is generally estimated here that the Annual Imports from thence into this Colony, amount on an average to Five Hundred Thousand Pounds Sterling.

The Goods exported from hence to Great Britain that are the produce of this Colony, are chiefly pot and pearl ashes, Pig and Bar Iron, Peltries, Beeswax, Masts and Spars, with Timber and Lumber of all kinds: And of the produce of the West Indies and Honduras Bay, Log Wood and other Dye woods and Stuffs, Sarsaparilla, Mahogny, Cotton, Ginger & Pimento with some Raw Hides—And Tar, Pitch and Turpentine, the produce of North Carolina. Exports to Great Britain.

The Annual Amount of the Exports to Great Britain on an Average, is one Hundred and Thirty Thousand pounds Sterling exclusive of the Cost of Ships built here for the Merchants in England to the amount of Thirty Thousand pounds Sterling annually. Value thereof.

Question No. 9.

What Trade has the Province under your Government with any Foreign Plantations, or any part of Europe besides Great Britain; how is that Trade carried on, What Commodities do the People under your Government send to or receive from the foreign Plantations, and what is the annual Amount thereof at an average?

Answer.

A considerable Trade is carried on from this Province to the Foreign West India Islands, Surrinam and Honduras Bay. Provisions and Lumber are the Principal Articles with which they are supplied from hence. The returns are generally in Sugar, Molasses, Dye Woods, Mahogany, Hides, Silver, and Bills of Exchange. Trade with Foreign Plantations, &c,

There are a few Vessels employed annually in the Affrican Trade, their Outward Cargoes are chiefly Rum and some British Manufactures. The high price and ready sale they meet with for their Slaves in the West Indies induce them always to dispose of their cargoes among the Islands. With Africa.

To Madeira & Teneriffe the Trade from hence is considerable. The Outward Cargoes are composed of Wheat, Indian Corn, Flour, Provisions in General, Lumber and Beeswax. The returns are made in Wines, the greatest part of which are carried directly from Madeira to the British and Foreign West India Islands, there sold and West India Cargoe purchased with which the Vessel returns. Madeira and Teneriffe.

When Grain is Scarce in Europe there is also a very considerable Trade from hence to the Spanish ports in the Bay of Biscay and to other Foreign ports in Europe lying to the southward of Cape Finnistere. To these places are exported, Wheat, Rye, Flour, Indian Corn, & Beeswax; and the returns are in Specie, Bills of Exchange and large Cargoes of Salt. Sometimes the Vessels employed in this Trade take in a load of Wines and Fruit, and call at some of the Outports in England for clearances agreeable to Law. Spanish & other Foreign Ports in Europe, Southward of Cape Finnistre.

The Trade is carried on in Ships belonging to British Subjects and navigators conformable to the Acts of Trade.

The Annual Amount of the Commodities exported from hence to Foreign Countries is on an Average One Hundred and Fifty Thousand Pounds Sterling, and the foreign Imports on an average, One Hundred thousand Pounds Sterling. Value of Foreign Exports.

Exports to Ireland.

Besides the Trade to the Foreign Ports in Europe, there is every year a great quantity of Flaxseed and Lumber and some Iron sent to Ireland, in ships generally belonging to that Kingdom, which come out annually with passengers and Servants, as also Linen, Beef and Butter.

To Gibralter and Minorca.

The Province hath likewise some Trade with Gibralter and Minorca, the Cargoes out generally consist of Grain, Flour, Provisions of other kinds, Lumber, Naval Stores and Rice.

As they are British Ports, it has ever been the practice here to allow enumerated Goods to be shipped to them, the Master of the vessel giving the enumerated Bond at the Naval office. The Returns are Specie, Bills of Exchange and Salt.

Question No. 10.

What methods are there used to prevent illegal Trade ; and are the same effectual.

Answer.

Means to prevent illegal Trade.

At this Port there is generally one of His Majesty's Ships of War, stationed near its principal entrance, except during the Four Winter Months, when she is obliged on account of the severe Weather and the Ice to come to the Wharf. The Custom House Officers are Eight in number ; viz : The Collector, Comptroller, Surveyor and Searcher, Land Waiter, Tide Surveyor, and Three Tide Waiters ; There is also a Naval officer. The Tide Waiters are mostly employed on Board of Vessels that arrive with dutiable goods, so that there are but three other out door officers to look after the business of a very extensive Harbour, lying on two sides of the Town, which is situated on a point between two large rivers.

As all Articles of Commerce, Provisions and Fuel are conveyed to Town by Water in a Number of Small Boats, from Landings that lay on each side of both entrances to the Port, the strictest attention of the officers of His Majesty's ship, or the vigilance of the Collector & Comptroller, (who speak favorably of their present Outdoor officers) cannot altogether prevent the illegal Trade in a port situated as this is ; there can be no doubt therefore but that Assistance different from what the Officers have at present, would be very necessary, and tend much to the increase of His Majesty's Revenues in this Province.

Question No. 11.

What is the Natural produce of the Country, staple Commodities and Manufactures, and what Value thereof in Sterling Money may you annually Export ?

Answer.

Produce Staple Commodities & Manufactures.

The Natural produce & Staple Commodities of this Province are Wheat, Indian Corn, Oats, Rye, Pease, Barley and Buck Wheat, Live Stock, Masts & Spars, Timber & Lumber of all sorts, Furrs, Skins, Beeswax, Iron Ore, Pork, Beef, Flour, Pot & Pearl Ashes.—And its Manufactures are, the making of Pig and Bar Iron, Distilling of Rum and Spirits, Refining of Sugar, and making Chocolate ; from Molasses, brown Sugar and

Cocoa imported.—The Making of Soap and Candles, Hats, Shoes, Cordage and Cabinet Ware, Tanning, Malting, Brewing & Ship Building.

The Annual Amount of the above-mentioned Articles Exported (Hats Excepted)* is on an average Four Hundred Thous^{d} Pounds Sterling. Value of those Articles Exported.

Question No. 12.

What Mines are there ?

Answer.

There are few Mines yet discovered in the Province—One of Iron Ore in the Manor of Livingston in the county of Albany, belonging to Robert Livingston Esquire,—another of Iron also in Orange County, the property of Vincent Matthews Esquire and one in the Manor of Philipsburgh in the County of Westchester lately leased for 99 years (pursuant to the Royal Order) to Frederick Philipse Esquire.—It is called the Silver Mine, but from the small Quantity of Silver the Ore has hitherto yielded, may perhaps more properly be classed among the Richer sort of lead Mines.—The Works belonging to the First are carried on to great advantage. Mines.

Question No. 13.

What is the Number of Inhabitants, Whites & Blacks ?

Answer.

By the last account taken in **1771**, the number of Inhabitants stood thus, Number of Inhabitants.

Whites	148,124
Blacks	19,883
Total Number of Inhabitants in **1771**	168,007

Supposing the Increase from **1771** to **1774** to have been no more than the average Proportion of the Increase between **1756** and **1771**, there must be added to compleat the Number of Inhabitants to the present Time,

White	12,974	
Blacks	1,266	
		14,244†
Total Number of Inhabitants in **1774**		182,251‡

* In Feb. 1731 the Master Wardens and Assistants of the Company of Feltmakers of London petitioned Parliament to pass a law to prevent the Inhabitants of the American Colonies exporting Hats of American Manufacture to any place whatsoever, as the foreign Markets were then almost altogether supplied from the Plantations as well, also, as Great Britain to the great prejudice of the Trade.

This petition was referred to a Special Committee who reported the Evidence in which the number of Beaver Hats then Manufactured in New York & New England was estimated at 10,000 yearly; In Boston there were 16 Hatters one of whom was stated to have commonly finished 40 hats a week. The Exports were to the Southern Plantations, the West Indies and Islands.

A law was accordingly passed the same Session (5 Geo. II. c xxii.,) "to prevent the Exportation of Hats out of any of His Majesty's Colonies or Plantations in America and to restrain the number of Apprentices taken by the Hat-makers in said Colonies" &c. All such exported hats were declared forfeit; the exporter subjected to a fine of £500 and every Master, Mariner, Porter, Carter, Waggoner, Boatman &c. aiding and assisting him became liable to a fine of Forty pounds; any officer of Customs passing an Entry for such Export was to be fined also £500. No person was to make Hats in the Colonies unless he served seven years to the Trade & no master could take more than two apprentices. This law continued in force in this country as long as it belonged to Great Britain and is still applicable to the existing colonies. This explains the exception above made in Gov. Tryon's Report.

† Incorrect: ought to be 14,240. ‡ Ought to be 182,247.

Question No. 14.

Are the Inhabitants increased or decreased within the last Ten years ; how much and for what Reasons ?

Answer.

Increase of Inhabitants.

The number of Inhabitants in **1771** as appears in No. **13** was.....168,007

By the returns in **1756** from which year to **1771** no Census was taken, the number appears to have been

1756	Whites.....	83,233	
	Blacks.	13,542	
			96,775
Which shews the Increase from **1756** to **1771** to be...			71,232
Admitting the Increase for the succeeding three years to be no more than the average proportion of this number which is much less than the Proportion at which it ought to be rated, there must be added for the Increase from **1771** to **1774**.....			14,244
Increase of Inhabitants from **1756** to **1774** a Period of **18** years.....			85,476

Hence by taking the proportion of the last mentioned number it is found that the Inhabitants of this Colony are increased during the last Ten years according to the lowest Calculation 47,480.

Causes of the Increase of Inhabitants.

The reasons commonly assigned for the rapid population of the Colonies, are doubtless the principal causes of the Great Increase in this Province.

The high price of Labour, and the plenty and cheapness of new land fit for Cultivation, as they increase the means of subsistence are strong additional Incitements to Marriage, and the people entering into that state more generally and at an earlier period of life than in Europe, the Proportion of Marriages and Births so far exceeds that of populous Countries, that it has been computed the Colonies double their Inhabitants by natural Increase only in Twenty years.

The increase in this Colony has been nearly in same proportion, but it cannot be denied that the accession to our own numbers by Emigrations from the neighboring Colonies and from Europe, has been considerable, tho' comparatively small to the number thus acquired by some of the Southern Colonies.

Question No. 15.

What is the Number of Militia and under what regulations is it constituted ?

Answer.

Number of the Militia,

The White Inabitants amounting to **161,102**, the Militia may be supposed to consist of about Thirty two Thousand.

A law is passed annually or every two years for regulating the Militia ; The act now in force directs That every Man from Sixteen to Fifty years of age (a few excepted) shall inlist himself with the Commanding Officer of the Troop of Horse, or Company of Foot in the place where he resides.—That the Militia armed and equipped (as the law prescribes) shall appear and be exercised twice a year.—And imposes fines on both Officers and Soldiers for every neglect of Duty, with other less material provisions relative to the service. The Officers are all appointed by the Governor, and the whole Militia is under his Command and subject to his Orders, agreeable to the power vested in him as Captain General of the Province by the Royal Letters Patent or Commission.

Regulation under which it is constituted.

As no Act relative to the Militia was passed during the last Session of the General Assembly, the above regulations will cease on the first day of May 1774, when the present Militia Law expires by its own Limitation.

Question No. 16.

What Forts and places of Strength are there within your Government, and in what Condition ?

Answer.

The City of New York the Metropolis, is protected by a Fort and a Range of Batteries at the Entrance of the East River or Harbour, in good order and capable of mounting about One Hundred pieces of Ordnance.—Albany and Schenectady are defended by Forts, and both places incircled by large Pickets or Stockades, with Blockhouses at proper Distances from each other, but which since the peace have been suffered to go to Decay and are now totally out of Repair.

Forts and places of strength.

The Western Posts are Fort Stanwix, and the Forts at Oswego and Niagara ; the two former are Dismantled ; a few men only are kept at Oswego.—Niagara is occupied by a Garrison of the King's Troops.

The Northern Posts are, Fort Edward which is abandoned. A few men only are kept at the works at the South End of Lake George to facilitate the Transportation to the next Posts, which are Ticonderoga and Crown Point ; these are both Garrisoned by His Majesty's Troops, but since the fire which happened at Crown Point, only a small guard is kept there, the principal part of the Garrison being withdrawn and posted at Ticonderoga.

Question No. 17.

What number of Indians have you and how are they inclined.

Answer.

The Indians who formerly possessed Nassau & Long Island, and that part of this Province which lies below Albany are now reduced to a small number, and are in general so scattered and dispersed, and so addicted to wandering that no certain account can be obtained of them.—They are remnants of the Tribes—Moutocks and others of Long Island—Wappingers of Dutchess

Number of Indians & how are they inclined.

County—Esopus, Papagonck &c in Ulster County—and a few Skachticokes.

These Tribes have generally been denominated River Indians and consist of about Three hundred Fighting Men—They speak a language radically the same, and are understood by the Delawares being orginally of the same Race. Most of these People at present profess Christianity, and as far as in their power. adopt our Customs—The greater part of them attended the Army during the late War but not with the same reputation as those who are still deemed Hunters.

The Mohawks the first in Rank of the Six Nation Confederacy tho' now much reduced in Number, originally occupied the Country Westward from Albany to the German Flatts, a space of about 90 miles, and had many Towns; but having at different times been prevailed on to dispose of their Lands they have little property left, except to the Northward, and are reduced to Two Villages on the Mohawk river and a few Families at Schoharie. The lower Mohawks are in number about One Hundred and Eighty Five, and the Upper or those of Canajoharie Two Hundred and Twenty one making together Four Hundred and Six; this nation hath always been Warm in their attachment to the English, and on this account suffered great loss during the late War.

The Nation beyond and to the Westward of the Mohawks is the Oneidaes; the Villages where they reside including Onoaughquaga are just beyond the Indian Line or Boundary established at Fort Stanwix in 1768, and their property within that Line except to the Northward has been sold—This Nation consists of at least Fifteen Hundred and are firmly attached to the English.

The other Nations of that Confederacy and who live further beyond the Indian Line are the Onondagaes, Cayouges, Senecas and Tuscaroras and are Well inclined to the British Interest —The whole Six Nations consist of about Two Thousand Fighting Men, and their number of Souls according to their latest Returns are at least Ten Thousand; the Seneca Nation amounting alone to one half that number.

Question No. 18.

What is the Strength of the Neighbouring Indians?

Answer.

Strength of the Neighbouring Indians.

The Indians North of this Province near Montreal, with those living on the River St. Lawrence near the 45th Degree of Northern Latitude form a Body of about Three Thousand five Hundred. They are in Alliance with and held in great Esteem by the rest, are good Warriors, and have behaved Well since they became allies to the English previous to the Reduction of Canada.

The Tribes of Indians within the Province of Massachusetts Bay and the Colonies of Connecticut & Rhode Island &c. are under similar circumstances with those denominated River Indians and the Stockbridge Indians living on the Eastern Borders of New York may be considered as within it, as they formerly claimed the Lands near Albany, and still hold up some

claim in that Vicinity, They served as a Corps during the late War and are in number about three Hundred.

Of the Susquehana Tribes many are retired further Westward, among which are some not well affected to the British Government.—They are all dependants and allies of the Six Nations.

Within the Department of Sir William Johnson His Majesty's Superintendent of Indian Affairs there are Twenty Five Thousand Four Hundred and Twenty Fighting Men, and may be about One Hundred and Thirty Thousand Indians in the Whole extending Westward to the Mississippa. Total number within the Northern Department.

Question No. 19.

What is the Revenue arising within your Government, and how is it appropriated and applied?

Answer.

The Revenue of the Province arises as follows—First from the Duties on articles imported viz. Slaves—Wines, Distill'd Liquors, Cocoa, and all European and East India Goods from the British Islands in the West Indies—Also a Duty of Two per Cent. on certain species of Goods sold at Public Auction or Outcry, and from Lycences granted to Hawkers and Pedlars. Revenue.

The annual amount of the several Duties on an average of the last Five Years is . . . . . £ 5000 Currency.

Secondly from the Interest of £120,000 in Bills of Credit emitted by a Law of the Colony passed the 16th of February 1771 and put out on Loan at 5 per cent, by which a clear Revenue until 1776 is to be paid into the Treasury of 5602

From the year 1776 One Tenth part of the Principal Sum is to be paid yearly into the Treasury until the whole sum of £120,000 is paid, So that this Branch of Revenue decreasing annually in that proportion, will totally cease in 1785.

The Revenue arising from the Articles under the first Head as it is grounded on Laws annually passed, (except the Duty on Goods sold at Auction granted for three years) is appropriated by annual Laws towards payment of the salaries of the Officers of Government, and other necessary Expences for the Public Service enumerated in such Laws. Application of the Revenue.

And the Interest Money arising from the Loan above mentioned, which is the Second Branch of Revenue, is annually applied in furnishing necessaries for His Majesty's Troops quartered in this Colony, for which there is usually granted £2000 Currency, and the Residue is occasionally applied to the payment of Debts contracted by the Province, such as repairs to the Fort & Batteries, the Governor's House, the making of gun carriages &c.

A Third Branch of the Revenue is the Excise on spirituous Liquors.

Particular Appropriation of the Excise on Strong Liquors.

By a Law passed the 8th of March 1773 This Fund is appropriated for Twenty Years as follows—The sum of £800 (part of £1000 to be raised by the Excise in the City and County of New York) is to be paid Annually for Twenty years to the Governors of the Hospital now erecting in the city of New York for the support of that Institution, and the remaining sum of £200 is for the first Five years to be paid to the Corporation of the Chamber of Commerce, for encouraging a Fishery on the Sea Coast for the better supplying the Public Markets of the City, and during the remaining Fifteen Years this sum is appropriated for repairing the Public Roads.

By the same Law the sums which shall be raised by the Excise in the other Counties subject to this Duty, are directed to be appropriated for the same period of Twenty years towards repairing the Highways and defraying the necessary Charges of the respective Counties.

The whole produce of the Excise Fund before the passing of this Law usually amounted to about £1450 per annum.

Question No. 20.

What are the ordinary and extraordinary Expences of Government ?

Answer.

Ordinary Expenses of Government.

The ordinary Expences are the Sallaries allowed by the Province to the Officers of Government, which exclusive of the Salary of the Governor now paid by the Crown, amounted in 1773, to the sum of . . . . . £3120. 2.—

and will continue nearly the same while the salaries remain on the present footing.—

Extraordinary Expenses.

The Extraordinary Expenses of Government are the allowance for the necessaries with which the Troops quartered in the Colony are furnished usually amounting to . . . . . 2000.—.—

And the Expences arising from the settlement of the Boundary Lines of the Colony, Repairs to the Fortifications & the Governors House,—Carriages and Utensils for Guns, Barracks &c. which in the year 1773 amounted to 1807.11.4¾

For payment of Expresses and other small Contingent articles of Expence there is annually allowed . . . . . 100.—.—

Question No. 21.

What are the Establishments Civil & Military within your Government and by what Authority do the Officers hold their

Places, What is the annual value of each office Civil & Military, how are they respectively appointed and who are the present possessors ?

Answer.

The Civil Establishments in this Province consist either of the Officers whose salaries are paid by the Crown ; or of such Officers as receive their Salaries by virtue of a law annually passed by the Provincial Legislature. Civil Establishment.

CIVIL ESTABLISHMENT PAID BY THE CROWN.

OFFICE.	PRESENT POSSESSOR.	BY WHAT AUTHORITY APPOINTED.	Salary or Value of the Office.
			Sterling Money.
Governor	His Excy. Wm. Tryon.	By the Crown	£2,000 — —
Lieut. Governor	Hon. Cadwal'der Colden	do	no salary.
Chief Justice	Daniel Horsmanden	do.	500 — —
Auditor General	Hon. Rob't Cholmondely	do.	100 — —
Receiver General	Andrew Elliot	do.	200 — —
Attorney General	John Tabor Kempe	do.	350 — —
Secretary	George Clarke	do.	73 — —
Surv'y of King's Woods	Adolphus Benzel	do.	300 — —
OF HIS MAJESTY'S CUSTOMS.			
Collector	Andrew Elliot	By the Commissioners of the Customs in London by virtue of a Warrant of the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury	55 — —
Comptroller	Lambert Moore	By do	55 — —
Surveyor & Searcher	Rich'd Nicholls Colden.	By the Commissioners of the Customs at Boston by virtue of a Warrant from Lords of the Treasury	60 — —
Land Waiter	John Coggeshall	By War't from the Commis'ners of Customs at Boston	50 — —
Tide Surveyor	Anthony Kendall	do. do.	60 — —
Tide Waiters	Thomas Bayeux	do. do.	30 — —
	Henry Dufour	do. do.	30 — —
	Thomas Kautzman	do. do.	30 — —
Naval Officer	Samuel Kemble	By Mandate of the Crown	no salary.
INDIAN DEPARTMENT.			
Super't & Sole Agent	Sir Wm. Johnson	By the Crown	1,000 — —
Deputies	Guy Johnson		200 — —
	Daniel Claus		200 — —
	George Croghan		200 — —
	Joseph Goreham		200 — —
Agent at Waubash	—— Maisonville		100 — —
Secretary	Vacant	By the Crown	100 — —
Two Smiths & Armourers with Assist's.	Names unknown		200 — —

OFFICE.	PRESENT POSSESSOR.	BY WHAT AUTHORITY APPOINTED.	Salary or Value of the Office.
Three Interpreters for different Languages	Names unknown.....	.....	£162 10 —
Surgeon	do.	.....	58 6 8
Storekeeper or Com'ry of Provisions.....	do.	.....	23 6 8

COURT OF ADMIRALTY.

Commissary or Judge...	Richard Morris	By the Crown.....	No sallary.
Register.....	Richard Nicholls.....	do.	
Marshall.....	Thomas Ludlow	do.	

CIVIL ESTABLISHMENT PAID BY THE PROVINCE.

			N. Y. Currency.
Governor.....	His Excy. Wm. Tryon..	By the Crown—(No Sallary but allowed for fire wood & candles for Fort George)	£400 — —
Chief Justice	Daniel Horsmanden	By the Crown.....	300 — —
Puisne Judges of the Supreme Court....	Robert H. Livingston..	By the Governor	200 — —
	George Duncan Ludlow.	do.	200 — —
	Thomas Jones.....	do.	200 — —
Attorney General.....	John Taber Kempe.....	By the Crown—Allowed by Prov'ce for Ex. Services.	150 — —
Secretary.....	George Clarke	By the Crown.....	40 — —
Clerk of the Council....	do.	do.	30 — —
Messenger of the Council	Christopher Blundel....	By the Governor	30 — —
Guagers of liquors subject to Prov'l Duty.	Thomas Moore.....	do.	30 — —
	John Griffith	do.	30 — —
Land & Tide Waiters for the like duty....	Thomas Hill	do.	50 — —
	Josias Smith.....	do.	50 — —
Printer.....	Hugh Gaine.....	do. No sallary but the am't of his account annually paid.	
Gunner and keeper of the Colony Stores..	John Martin	By the Governor.....	20 — —
Treasurer	Abraham Lott.....	By the General Assem.....	300 — —
Agent.....	Edmund Burke.....	do. do.	500 — —
Of the Gen. Assembly. Clerk	Edmund Seaman.....	do. do. The four last mentioned officers are allowed no salary, but are paid during their attendance on the General Assembly; The Clerk and his Assistant each 20s and the Sergeant at Arms and Doorkeeper each 6s. diem	
Ass't Clerk.....	Gerard Bancker.....	do. do.	
Doorkeeper.....	Alexander Lamb.....	do. do.	
Sergeant at Arms	John Scott.....	do. do.	

There is no other Provincial Civil Establishment in the Colony. Most of the abovementioned Officers have Fees appertaining to their offices, the amount of which (if within the object of the present Enquiry) can only be ascertained by the Respective officers.

The Province has a Court of Chancery, the Governor is Chancellor, and the Officers of the Court are a Master of the Rolls newly created :—Two Masters :—Two Clerks :—a Register :—An Examiner, and a Sergeant at Arms.—There is also a Prerogative Court of which the Governor it Judge: Its officers are a Register and one or more Surrogates in every County.—In each of the Cities of New York and Albany there is a Mayor, Sheriff, Clerk and Corroner, and in each of the other Counties of the Province there are three or more Judges, and a number of Justices of the Peace : One Sheriff, one Clerk and one or more Coroners.—None of these Officers have any Salary, but have Fees annexed to their offices, and they are all appointed by the Governor.

Military Establishments.

Military Establishments have only taken place in Time of War. The Province during the late War, raised, cloathed, and paid a large Body of Forces, which was disbanded at the Peace, and there is at present no Provincial Military Establishment unless the Militia may be regarded as such ; The Officers of this Corps are as already observed appointed by the Governor, and having no pay their offices must be rather expensive than lucrative.

The Militia are not Subject to Garrison Duty, and all the posts where any Garrisons are Kept are occupied by the Kings Troops.

Wm. Tryon.

London 11th June 1774.

PROCEEDINGS

PREVIOUS TO THE ISSUE OF A CHARTER TO THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

BY GOVERNOR DONGAN.

PETITION OF THE MAYOR, &C., OF NEW YORK, TO GOVERNOR DONGAN, **November 9th, 1683.**

[COUNCIL MIN., VOL. V.]

To the Right Honorable Coll Thomas Dongan Esq^{r} Lieutenant & Governor & Vice-Admirall under his Royal Highness James Duke of York & Albany &c of New York and Dependencyes in America.

The humble peticon of the Mayor & Aldermen & Commonalty of the Citty of New York.

Sheweth.

That this Citty hath had & enjoyed seuerall ancient Customes, Priviledges and Immunityes which were confirmed and granted to them by Coll^{o} Richard Nicolls the late Governor of this Province by authority under His Royall Highness A ^{D} 1665 who incorporated the Inhabitants thereof New Harlem and all other Inhabitants on the Island Manhattans whereon this Citty standeth as one body Politique and Corporate under the Government of a Mayo^{r} Aldermen & Sheriff in which manner it hath continued in practice ever since and hath had, used and enjoyed the Customes, Libertyes, and priviledges following viz.

1. That all the Inhabitants on the Island Manhattans was under the Goverm^{t} of the Citty of New York.

2. That the Governing of the said Citty was by seven magistrates and a Schout formerly called Burgomaster and Schepen now one Mayo^{r} six Aldermen and one Shiriffe.

3. These Magistrates had power to appoint all inferior officers as Constables and Overseers, Undersheriffs, Cryers, and Marshalls throughout the whole Island and also did make such peculiar Lawes and Orders as they judged convenient for the well governing the inhabitants of the sd corporacon and held once in fourteen dayes or oftner on Speceall request or occasion a Court of Judicuture att the Citty Hall where they did heare and determine all causes and matters whatsoever brought before them by Jury or in Equity, as the cause required. The Mayor or chief magistrate had power to determine all matters that came before him under forty shillings without appeale or any other process then a verball heareing of partyes.

4. The Sheriff served all writts, summons and attachments within the Limits of the Corporacun and officiated as Watterbayliff on the water.

5. They had their owne clerke and kept the Records of the Citty distinctly.

6. This citty was the staple porte of the whole Province where all merchandize was shipped and unloaden.

7. None were to bee esteemed freemen of the citty but who were admitted by the Magistrates aforesaid and none before such admission to sell by Retayle & Exercise any handycraft trade or occupacon and every merchant or shopkeeper was to pay for the publique use of the Citty three pounds, twelve shillings, every handycrafts man one pound four shillings, on being made free.

8. Noe ffreeman of the Citty was to bee arrested or to have their goods attached unless it was made to appear that they were departeing or conveying away their estates to defraud their creditors.

9. Noe person was admitted to trade up Hudson's River, except hee was a freeman and had been an actuall inhabitant in this Citty for the space of three years, and if any ffreeman should bee absent out of the Citty the space of Twelve months and not keepe fire and candle and pay scott and lott, should lose his ffreedome.

10. All that Inhabite up Hudson's River were forbid to trade over sea.

11. Noe fflower was to be bolted or packed or biskett made for Exportacon butt in the Citty of New York being for the encouragem^{t} of trade and keeping up the Reputacon of New York flower which is in greater request in the West Indies and the only support and maintenance of the Inhabitants of this Citty and if not confirmed to them will ruine and depopulate the same.

12. That the said Citty had a Comon seale to serve for the sealeing of all and singular their affaires, matters and businesses touching the said Corporacon.

All which said ancient Customes, Priviledges & Libertyes wee the said Mayo^{r} and Aldermen in behalf of themselves and the cittyzens of the said Citty doe humbly present and make known to your Hon^{r} Humbly beseeching yo^{r} Hono^{r} in their behalfes, to Intercead and procure that the same bee confirmed to them by Charter from His Royall Highness with these addicons following viz^{t}

1. That the said Corporacon bee divided into six wards.

2. That the ffreemen in each ward doe once every yeare elect their own officers that is to say Aldermen, Common Council men, Constable, Overseers of the poore, Assessors, Scavengers, Questmen, or other officers usefull and necessary for the said Corporacun and Ward.

3. That there bee a Mayor and a Recorder who with the said six Aldermen and six comon-councill men shall represent the whole body of the said Citty and Corporacun and shall have power to make peculiar lawes for the good goverment and support thereof.

4. That a Mayo^{r} be appointed every yeare by the Governor and Councill and to be one of the Aldermen soe chosen as aforesaid.

5. That all Magisirates soe chosen shall not bee admitted to the Execucon of their offices untill sworne before the Governor and Councill.

6. That the Recorder bee appointed by the Governor and Councill who shall bee Judge of the Citty and Corporacun and bee aydeing and assisteing to the Mayo^{r} and Aldermen & Common Council in all matters that relate to the well beinge and support thereof.

7. That a Sheriff be annually appointed by the Governor and Councill.

8. That the Coroner & Town Clerk bee appointed by the Governor and Councill.

9. That the Mayor Recorder, Aldermen, and Common Councill doe appoint a Threasurer for collecting and payeinge all publique debts and Revenues.

This and whatever else yor Honor or his Royall Highness shall think fitt, necessary & convenient for the good rule, order & welfare of this City and Corporacun yor peticoners humbly praye may be granted and confirmed to them in as full and ample manner and forme as His Majesty has been graciously pleased to graunt to other Corporacuns within his Realme of England for the obteyneing of which they again humbly begg yor Honor to become theyr supplicant whose kyndnesse and service therein shall bee most thankfully acknowledged.

And as in duty bound yor peticoners shall ever pray &c.

——— Beeremuth
Johannes Van Burg
John Lawrence
Peter Jacob Marius.
Ja. Graham
Corn. Steenewizck
N. Bayard

A petition from the Deputy Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the city of New York being read was concluded as follows:—In answer to the first article it is thought reasonable that the town of Harlem shall have liberty to determine all matters that come before them under forty shillings at their own town court

To the third article it is answered that their being these words these Magistrates had power to appoint all inferior officers, as Constables, Overseers, Undersheriffs, Cryeers and Marshalls, it is desired that it may be explayned what is meant by Marshall in the said article, it is also desired that it may be explained what is meant by peculiar laws, and how far they will extend, as likewise what is meant by Court of Judicature, and how far the said court is to extend, and that the Court of Judicature, under forty shillings being allowed, it is thought, convenient to distinguish betwixt the said courts, and make two articles of this one, being the third article, to be fourth article. It is thought convenient that the Water Bayliff belong to the Admiralty.

And in the seventh article Jews are to be excepted who are left to the disposall of the Governor

At a Council, held at ffort James in New York November 30 the following petition from the Mayor and Aldermen of the city of New York was read

To the Right Honorable Colonel Thomas Dongan, &c

The humble petition of the Mayor and Aldermen of the city of New York Sheweth—That whenever the necessary public works belonging to this city are much out of repayr and decayed and the revenue that was to support and maintain the same for the present lost and destroyed and whereas the 9th instant a petition was presented to yr honr by your honrs petitioners predecessors in the name of the Mayor Aldermen and Commonalty of this city therein sitting forth the priviledges usage custom and practice of the said city and what they conceived for to be necessary for the weale good governmt and support thereof, wch they prayed your honor would procure to be confirmed by them by Charter from his Royall Highnesse

Your petitioners do likewise humbly pray and desire the same with this alteration only that the city may have the choice of their Town Clerk for the future, and that since it cannot be soon effected as the urgent affairs of this

city doth require your Honr will be pleased to order & declare that the former method therein prescribed may be put in practice until such time as his Royll Hs pleasure shall be further known therein and that your Honr will be further pleased to confirm to this city all the vacant Lands wthin this Island to low water marke, the benefit of granting licenses to all that keep publick houses the benefit of the Dock Wharf and bridge markitt and markit house with the ferry now between the said City and Long Island or that hereafter shall be appointed between the said City and Corporation or any other place which may help so as to enable them to defray their publick charge and expense and maintain their public works

And yor petitioners shall ever pray &c

Corn. Steenewizck
N. Bayard
John Inians
Will. Pinhorne
Gulian Verplanck
John Robinson
Wm Cox

Dated in N Y the
27th day Novembr 1683

The aforesaid petition was thus answered

The petition of the Mayor and Aldermen being read the Governor in Council gave answer thereto in the following resolution and proposalls

That he much wonders that having lately granted almost every particular of a large and considerable petition lately preferred by the presiding Mayor and Aldermen should so suddenly receive another petition from the present Magistrates to request either which was before granted or any thing contrary to their former petition however is willing to oblige them as far as can be reasonably done as may be seen by the following particulars

Their first request concerning the Charter is already granted and a Recorder according to their own former desires

The ferry is granted with a promise that two boats for passengers be kept on each side of the river and one boat for cattle on each side of the river also

The Town Clerk is referred to his Rll Hss his nomination.

The vacant lands to low water made within this Island are already disposed of

The whole Island is ordered to be surveyed and when that is done some land in the woods not yet disposed of shall be appointed for the use of the City

The Dock & Wharfe is allowed to the City provided it be well kept and cleaned if not it shall be forfeited but no duty is to be paid upon the bridge.

No ferry in any other place allowed but what is allready

The licenses always belong to the Governor the benefit of the markitt and markitt houses is granted provided their be nothing sold but upon Wednesday & Saturday beginning betwixt nine and tenn of the clock in the forenoon and all brought into the Markitt place nothing being allowed to be sold in any vissil boat or Cannoe whatsoever, only Butchers meat is to be sold every day in the week, Sunday excepted, but to be sold in the markitt and no where else

That is convenient a Clerk of the markitt be appointed and that by the Governor who shall see after the weights and mizures and due regulation of the markitt

That there be twenty carmen, and no more allowed, and their wages regulated and the number of sworn porters with their wages likewise.

The Mayor is allso to look after the weights and value of bread and the value and measure of all liquors sold and retailed and to put a price upon all other things sold, according as the season shall require and all bakers shall be obliged to sell and keep good household bread for any who will demand it

That the said household bread be baked as the meale comes from the mill

That the City will appoint one or more if necessary to look after the chimnies for the preventing of fire and that all houses keep one or more water buckitts

At a Council held in ffort James in New York March 18th 1683-4

The petition of the Mayor & Aldermen being this day read in Council, and their setting forth that for many years past no flower or biskitt was bolted made or packed for transportation but in this City et the Governor gave in answer that tho he had a very great esteem for ; yet he was not oblidged so much to take notice of what orders his predecessors had made in it, or the reasons for the inconveniency of bringing flower to this City of New York and desired he might have reasons at large why there should be any prohibition for bolting any where but in this City : that so he might proceed upon the most reasonable methods for the efficient preventing of the same

At a Council held at Ffort James April 9th 1684

Reasons brought in by the Mayor and Aldermen of this City why bolting and making of bread for transportation should be prohibited in any other part of the province but in this City only.

At a Council held at Ffort James April 26th

The patent of the City of New York as amended and engrossed read and allowed

The Compiler is indebted to the politeness of Doctor O'Callaghan for the preceding article.

[The compiler is indebted to Dr. O'Callaghan for the following.]

It appears by the following document that in New York each shoe-maker formerly tanned his own leather, and employed men to break up the bark by hand which was used for tanning purposes. This hand labor was superceded by a mill in the year 1669, as the following shows.

PATENT FOR THE EXCLUSIVE RIGHT TO GRIND BARK IN NEW YORK FOR TANNING LEATHER.

[From Rec. in Sec. of State's office.]

The Governor Com^on^ for Adriaen & Christofel van Laer to Erect a Rasp mill in this Citty.

Francis Lovelace Esq^r^ &c Whereas proposalls have beene made unto me by Adriaen & Christofell van Laer of this Citty Cordwainers or Shoomakers to Erect & sett up one or more Run or Raspe mill to Grinde or S^t^amp all y^e^ Rynde or Barke of Trees to be used by y^e^ Cordwainers or Shoomakers of the Citty, y^e^ w^ch^ they undertake to doe by y^e^ said mill w^th^ more speed & that also bett^r^ & cheaper then can be done by y^e^ usuall and ordinary way of stamping y^e^ said Rynde or barke by y^e^ hands of men,

After due consideration & consultation had of ye prmisses & serious inquiry made thereupon finding it to be a work wch may tend to ye utility & good of the Publique, For an Encouragemt to ye said undertaking, I have thought fit to giue & grant & by these prsents do hereby giue confirme & grant unto ye said Adriaen & Christofell van Laer ye priviledge of Erecting & setting up one or more Run or Raspe mill for ye use aforesaid in some Convenient place of this Citty ready to stamp or Grinde barke of trees for ye Shoomakers by ye day of Aprill next.

That ye Soomakers of ye Citty giue notice at ye Mill that they haue rinde or barke ready to be ground or Stamped, ye said undertakers are to cause ye same to be fetcht from ye said Shoomakers, & carryed to ye mill from whence after it shall be ground or stamped, they are likewise to cause it to be retorned back againe.

That ye said Shoomakers shall haue their Rynde or Barke ground or Stamped at ye Mill aforesaid for 24 Stivers y Shoomakers themselves being first at ye charge of cleansing it before it comes to ye Mill. The Tun is to containe what is usually allowed amongst them for so much & ye same is to be sealed or markt to prevent deceit or mistakes.

That in Grinding or Stamping of ye said Rynde or Barke at ye Mill as aforesaid, ye Custome of other Mills be observed (viz.'t) that those be first served who first come.

That as long as ye said undertakers or their Assignes do keep ye said mill, if they shall neglect ye Grinding or stamping ye Shoomakers barke who depend upon them for ye same & ye said Shoomakers shall be faine by reason of that neglect to make use of ye hands of men to stamp their barke as aforesaid ye said Adriaen & Christofell van Laer or their Assignes shall be obliedged to allow 10 Stiuers Seawamp to ye owners for euery such Tun of bark stamped by ye hands of men as foresd.

That for & in consideration of ye charge of ye said undertakers necessarily must be at in Erecting & Keeping ye said Mill or Mills They ye said Adriaen & Christofell van Laer & their Assignes are to have ye onely & sole benefitt thereof, & none other is to be erected or sett up wthin ye lymitts or Jurisdiction of this Citty & prcincts but by themselves or their ordr for & duering ye space & terme of years ye tyme to commence from ye first day of May next ensueing ye date hereof.

That in regard to ye said undertakers are obliedged to fetch ye barke or Rynde of Trees from ye Shoomakers & to carry it back againe, for y wch they must of necessity be prouided wth one or more sufficient Carts as well as Hoses. They ye said Adriaen & Christofell van Laer & their Assignes shall have ye liberty and priviledge to bring up in their said Carte any Rynde or barke of trees from ye water syde for ye use of ye Shoomakers or any thing else for themselves wthout intrenchig upon any priuiledg of ye Carr men allowed by ye Mayor & Aldermen of ye Citty.

And it is herein likewise graunted unto ye said Adriaen & Christofell van Laer & their Assignes, In consideracon of their undertaking so useful & publique a worke that neither they nor any others be discouraged from ye like, That if through any Accident or Casualty this their undertaking shall proue unsuccessful It shall be at ye choice and liberty of ye said Adriaen & Christofell van Laer or their Assignes, aftr ye said Mill shall be erected to loane ye same at any time befo e ye Expiration of ye said terme of yeares herein grannted they first giving notice of such their intent to ye Mayor & Aldermen & and also to ye Shoomakers of ye Citty six months before hand Given undr my hand & sealed wth ye seale of ye Colony at Fort James in New York this 10th day of February in ye 22th yeare of ye Raigne of or Soveraigne Lord Charles ye Second by ye Grace of God of England Scotland France & Ireland King defendr of ye faith &c.

Annoq Domini 1669. Fran: Lovelace.

PETITION FOR AN ADDITIONAL FERRY BETWEEN N. Y. & LONG ISLAND.

To his Excellency Edward Viscount Cornbury Capn Genll and Govr in cheif of her Maties Provinces of New York & New Jersey and the Territories depending thereon in America and Vice Admirall of the same, &c.

The Petition of Cornelius Sebering of Kings County on the Island of Nassauw

Sheweth

That yor Petitionr is Seized & stands Possessed of a certain farm on the Island of Nassauw directly over against the center of the City of New York, being a most fit & convenient place for being a ferry to & from the said City for the transporting of Passengers goods Wares Merchandises Cattle Corn and other comodities to the great ease & benefit of many of the Inhabitants of the said City and Island considering the scituacon as aforesaid & can be of no hurt or dammage to the old ferry it being not so convenient for that ferry to send their boats to the South end and Center of the City where he proposes to send his.

Yor Petr therefore humbly prays Yor Excys to grant to your Petr her Maties Letters Pattents under the great Seal of this Province for Establishing of a ferry over the East River or Sound to be limited on the Island of Nassauw on the One Side by the old ferry and on the other side by the Red hook & on the side of New York between the Slip at Capn Theobalds unto the great Bridge for the loading & landing of all persons goods wares & merchandises except Cattle to be landed at or near the slaughter howses (nevertheless not excluding the old ferry boat from the places aforesaid) under such regulations & such prises for Transportacon & small Quit rent or acknowledgment as to yor Excellency shall seem meet.

And yor Petr shall ever Pray

Cornelis Seberingh.

New York 23d Janry 170⅞.

We underwritten do believe and are assured that such a ferry would be of a considerable advantage to the City & County if the Prises for Transportacon be not Excessive.

Abrah: Gouverneur	Daniel Polhemus
Leonard Lewis	Engel bradt Lott
Leendert huygen de Kleyn	John Ditmars
Joh: Tiebout	Yacob houderte
Henry Swift	Fred'rick Symonse
John Van Brugh	Jacobes Oukes
Martin Clock	Philip Nagel
Andrew Grevenraet	Jurre Colyer
R. Walter	Abraham Brouwer
Johannes hooglandt	Johannis Polhemius
Chrestopher Beekman	Cornelis Coljer
hendrick vander heul	Daniel Remsen
Evert Duyckinck	Auke Leffertsen
G. Duyckinck	benyamin andrews
Rutgurt Waldron	Lammert
Abr: Santfort	Claes Blom
Benjamin Faneuil	Cornelis Vander hoeve
Jean Cazalez	Pieter Gerbrantse
John Auboyneux	Jacob Fardon
Johannes Burger	Benjamin D'harriette.

REMONSTRANCE OF THE CORPORATION OF NEW YORK AGAINST THE PRECEEDING.

To His Excellency Edward Viscount Cornbury Capt[t] General & Gouvernour in Chief of her Majestys Province of New York &c: and Territories depending thereon in America and Vice Admiral of the Same &c :

The humble Petition of the Mayor Aldermen & Commonalty of her Majestys City and Corporation of New York.

Most Humbly Sheweth

That the Inhabitants of the said City and Corporation for Seaventy years past have peaceably and quietly Posses'd and Enjo'd Several Rights Liberties Priviledges Franchises Free Customs Preheminencys Advansages Jurisdictions Emoluments and Immunities Granted and Confirmed unto them by her Majetys Royal Ancestors and the divers Governours Authorized & Commissioned by them as well as by the several Governours Directors and Commanders in Chief of the Nether Dutch nation whilst the same was under their power and Subjection to the great increase of her Majestys Revenue and the Sencible Growth and Advancement of her Majestys said City and Province and Among the Rest that of the Ferry between the Said City and Nassaw Island (formerly Called long Island) and that the loading and landing place of the said Ferry from this City on Nassaw Island hath been Commonly Esteemed & Reputed for seaventy years past to Extend from a heap of Rock Stones Gathered together on A small wharfe or Landing Bridge near the ferry house on the Said Island unto the West End of the Kill to the Westward of the same and that from high water to low water marke for the Accomodation of all Passengers and Travellers to and from this City as well as for the loading and unloading of wheat and other Provisions which are accustomed to be there loaded in the ferry boats for the Subsistance of the Inhabitants of this City at all times of Tide, which said Ferry (at the great Charge and Expense of the Inhabitants of the said City and Corporation by their Erecting Several Publick buildings for the service thereof) is rendred very Commodious to all Persons passing the same at Very Easy and Moderate Rates and is duely and Regularly kept and attended with able men Boats and Scows and without the least Complaint of Omission or neglect by any persons whatsoever, the Profitts whereof have always been appropriated by this Corporation for the publick service of the Government of the said City and is the only considerable Income left to support the publick buildings Bridges Goals Landing places fire and Candle for their Watches, Sallaryes of their officers Bellmen &c ; and to defray the other publick and necessary Charges of the Said City, and was Granted unto the Inhabitants of the Said City under the Seal of this Province in the year 1686 and Confirmed unto them by an Act of General Assembly Entituled an act for the Settling Quietting and Confirming unto the Citys Towns Manors and Freeholders within this Province their several Grants Patents and Rights Respectively.

That your Excellencys Petitioners by your Lordships benign favour and goodness understanding that one Cornelius Sebring for his own private Lucre and gain is soliciting your Lordship for her Majestys Grant of another Ferry from Nassaw Island to this City and of most of the Landing places now belonging to this City designing thereby to make Considerable

Improvements to Ruine and destroy the present ferry the Chief Income and Support of this Corporation for the Prevention whereof your Excellencys Petitioners most humbly Supplicate that your Lordship will be favourably pleased to take the Premisses into your Prudent Consideration and for the reasons aforesaid (tho many more may be offered to long here to incert) to Reject the unreasonable and unjust Petition of the said Cornelius Sebring, wee haveing an Intire Confidence of your Excellencys Justice and goodness that as you have hitherto Protected us in our Just Rights and Priviledges (for which wee Return your Lordship our most dutifull and Grateful Acknowledgm^{ts} So your Lordship will Continue to Countenance and Protect us in the same and that you will Ever prefer the publick welfare of so Loyall and Considerable a People as this Corporation are before the Interest and unjust pretence of a Private Person.

ffebb 5, 1707. And your Excellencies Petitioners as in duty bound shall ever pray &c.

EBENEZER WILLSON.

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John Hendrick 8 brevoort
mark
T: Van Zandt
Christo Denne
Olfert Svoerts
Paul Droilhet
Petrus Bayard

Rich^{d} Willett
E: Blagge
Walter Thong
John Tuder
D: Provoost
J D'Riemer
W^{m} Smith

PETITION OF THE CORPORATION OF NEW YORK

FOR AN ENLARGEMENT OF THE BOUNDS OF THEIR FERRY ON L: ISLAND.

To His Excellency EDWARD Viscount CORNBURY Cap^{t} General and Governor in Chief of the Province of New York &c: and Territories depending thereon in America and Vice Admiral of the Same &c:

The Humble Petition of the Mayor Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York

MOST HUMBLY SHEWETH

That the Petitioners having a Right and Interest in the Ferry from this City to Nassaw Island and from the said Island to this City again and to all the Profitts and Advantages thereof, Perceive it to fall much short of what they might reasonably Expect from the same if the bounds & Limitts of the said Ferry were Something Extended on the said Island side whereby to hinder and prevent that priviledge and Liberty which divers persons now take of Transporting themselves and goods to and from the said Island of Nassaw over the Said River without Coming to or Landing at the usual and accustomed places where the said ferry Boats are kept and Appointed to the great loss and damage of the Petitioners (the profitts thereof being wholy appropriated for the publick service and Government of the said City) and itt being obvious to your Petitioners that some private persons for their own Lucre and gain have solicited Your Excellency for another ferry on the said Island fronting to this City which if Granted would be of

great damage to this Corporation and all the Inhabitants thereof as the Petitioners humbly conceive would in time not only prove Injurious to the Trade and Commerce of this City but also be a means to lessen the Income of her Majestys Revenue Established upon Trade to the General decay of the Province (the Improvement thereof imployed now in Traffique being scarcely able to maintain the Inhabitants Now in this City whose livelyhood does only rely thereon)

Your Excellencys Petitioners therefore humbly most humbly pray that your Lordship will be favourably pleased to take the premises into your prudent Consideration and order her Majestys Grant unto the Petitioners and their Successors for all the Vacant and unappropriated Ground on Nassaw Island from High water to Low water marke fronting unto this City from the place Called the Wallabought unto the Red hooke against Nutten Island for the better Improvement and accommodation of the Said ferry; and also that your Excellency would be further pleased to order unto the Petitioners & their Successors her Majestys Grant of Confirmation for the said ferry on both sides of the said River with power to Establish one or more ferrys if there shall be occasion and to make by-Laws for the more orderly Regulation thereof at such Reasonable Rates and under such Moderate quitt Rent as your Lordship in your great prudence shall see meet.

And your Excellencies Petitioners as in duty bound shall ever pray &c.

Ebenezer Willson	W^{m} Smith
John Tuder	Christo: Denne
D Provoost	John hendr^{k} (8) breevoort
Rich^{d} Willett	Paul Droilhet
J D: Riemer	Olfert Svoerts
E. Blagge	

April 8th 1708 Read and granted & a Warr^{t} to be prepared for the Attorney Gen^{ll} to draw a Pattent or charter.

ORIGINAL SURVEY OF THE NORTH SIDE OF WALL STREET, 1685.

[From Vol. III. of Doc. Hist. N. Y.]

By vartue of a Warrant from the hon^{ble} Coll. Tho. Dongan Gouarnor Generall of his Majesties Coll of New Yorke &c bearing date y^{e} 15th Instant to mee directed

Haue laid out y^{e} North East side of y^{e} Wall street, beginning at y^{e} Westermost Corner of y^{e} Bucthers Pen,* and then Runing by an Angle of 313° or North West & by West Nine degrees fifteene Minits Northerly four hundred twenty three foot to y^{e} farthest cornor of the Smyths Street† thence by an Angle of 323 deg: or North West Eight degrees Northerly foure hundred therty one foot to y^{e} farthest Cornor of the Graft Street,‡ thence 319 deg: or Northwest foure degrees northerly one hundred fifety one foot to y^{e} farthest Cornor of Stoutenbergs garden, which is right Opposite to the South East Cornor of y^{e} New Street,§ the saide Street being laid out thirty six foot in bredth,

Performed this 16 day of Decemb. 1685.

P mee LEO BECKWITH Dep^{t} Surveior.

* Near what is now the corner of Pearl and Wall. † Now William street. ‡ Broad st.
§ This garden lay between Nassau street and Broadway; a Presbyterian church occupied part of it from 1719 to 1844.

[FROM THE DOCUMENTARY HISTORY OF NEW YORK, TRANSLATED BY DOCTOR O'CALLAGHAN.]

FIRST APPLICATION FOR A MUNICIPAL FORM OF GOVERNMENT.

[Holland Doc. IV.]

To the Noble High and Mighty Lords the Lords States General of the United Netherlands, our Most Illustrious Sovereigns.

GRACIOUS LORDS,—This Province of New Netherland having been reduced, in the course of time to a very sad and utterly ruinous condition, in consequence, as we presume, of firstly, An unsuitable government; secondly, Scantiness of privileges and exemptions; thirdly, Heavy burthens of imposts, exactions and such like; fourthly, Long continued war, fifthly, The wreck of the Princess; Sixthly, the multitude of Traders and fewness of Boors and farm servants; seventhly, Great scarcity in general; eightly and lastly, The insufferable arroganee of the Natives and Indians arising from the paucity of our numbers etc. and having long waited in vain, though we have petitioned and sought for aid redress and assistance from the Lords Directors in the Highest degree necessary for them and us; We, therefor, unable to delay any longer, being reduced to the lowest ebb, have determined to fly for refuge to their High Mightinesses, our gracious Sovereigns and the Fathers of this Province, most humbly praying and beseeching them to look with merciful eyes on this their Province and that their High Mightinesses would be pleased to order and correct matters so that dangers may be removed, troubles terminated, and population and prosperity promoted, as their High Mightinesses in their renowned wisdom shall be determined, We with humble reverence only deeming it good and necessary to petition their High Mightinesses for the following Points as of advantage for this Province:—

Firstly:—We supplicate and beseech their High Mighinesses to people New Netherland so that it may support sustain and defend itself against Indians and others who might trouble and invade it; for if this should fail, that country will not only fall into the uttermost ruin, but also become easily appropriated by our Neighbors; and those who already dwell there will be forced to use all possible means to return and save themselves from misery, or to submit to foreign Nations. All which, according to our humble understanding, is to be remedied

1st When their High Mightinesses shall be pleased to take this province under their own gracious safeguard, and to allow their Fatherly affection for this land to be promulgated and made manifest, throughout

the United Netherlands, by their own accorded privileges. Many would, then, be attracted towards this country, whilst, on the contrary every one is discouraged by the Company's harsh proceedings and want of means.

2nd Were their High Mightinesses pleased to equip some ships for a few years, for the free conveyance and transportation of people principally Boors and farm servants with their poverty hither, together with some necessary maintenance untill the poor people had obtained something *in esse*, their High Mightinesses would not only relieve many incumbered men, but also expect from God, through their intercession luck, blessing and prosperity.

3rd If their High Mightinesses would please to order all vessels proceeding and trading towards these northern parts of America, to call first at the Manhattans in New Netherland, and bring with them as many persons as they can reasonably procure and conveniently carry, at suitably fixed rates, many proprietors would, no doubt, emigrate within a short time to New Netherland

Secondly, We humbly solicit permanent privileges and exemptions which promote population and prosperity and which in our opinion consist in

1st Suitable *Burger* Government, such as their High Mightinesses shall consider adapted to this Province and resembling somewhat the Laudable government of our Fatherland.

2nd Freedom from duties, tenths and imposts which at the first beginning are useless and oppressive, until the country is peopled and somewhat firmly established.

3rd That the Returns in Tobacco shipped hence, be free from all duties which would not only afford great encouragement to the planters who convert the forrest into farms but be better also for their servants who could thus be accommodated with all sorts of necessaries.

4th Also, permission to export, sell & barter, grain, timber work, and all other wares and merchandize the produce of the country every way and every where their High Mightinesses have allies and have granted to the Netherlands the privilage of resort and trade.

5th That their High Mightinesses would be pleased to accord privilages and freedoms for the encouragement of the Inhabitants in favor of the fisheries, which many suppose were good and profitable heretofore, and would hereafter be of great consequence.

Thirdly, We humbly beseech their High Mightinesses to be pleased to determine and so to establish and order the Boundaries of this Province, that all causes of difference, disunion and trouble may be cut off and prevented; that their High Mightinesses subjects may live and dwell in peace and quietness, and enjoy their liberty as well in trade and commerce as in intercourse and settled limits 2nd. That their High Mightinesses would be pleased to preserve us in peace with the neighbouring Rebublicks, Colonies and others their High Mightinesses allies, so that we may pursue without let or hindrance, under proper regulations from their High Mightinesses, the trade of our country as well along the coast from Terra Nova to Cape Florida as to the West Indies and to Europe whenever our Lord God shall be pleased to permit; and 3d. to make manifest to the incredulous their High Mightinesses earnest support of this Province, we respectfully request that their H. M. would be pleased to quarter here a company or two of soldiers, for the defence of those residing at a distance and the establishment of New Plantations and Colonies, untill by our progress we shall dread neither Indians or other enemies, but even shall be able to prevent their mischievous designs.

All this have we concluded with humble reverence to propose according to our limited knowledge and understanding, earnestly supplicating their High Mightinesses, for the love of New Netherland which now lies at its extremity, as is to be seen at length in our annexed remonstrance, to be pleased to direct their attention thereto according to their wise and provident council, and to interpret most favorable this our presumption.

We pray and hope that the name of New Netherland and the conversion of the Heathen which ought to be hastened, shall move their H. M. hereunto. Expecting, therefor, a happy deliverance we commend their H. M's persons and deliberations to the protection of the Almighty, and remain their H. M's humble and obedient servants. Written in the name and on the behalf of the Commonalty of New Netherland, the Six and Twentieth of July, in the Year of our Lord Jesus Christ, One Thousand, Six hundred, Nine & Forty, in New Amsterdam on the Island Manhattans in New Netherland.

(Signed,)

Adriaen Van der Donck,
Augustin Herman,
Arnoldus Van Hardenberch,
Jacob Van Couwenhoven,
Govert Loockermans,
Oloff Stevens,
Michiel Jansen,
Thomas Hall,
Elbert Elbertzen,
Jan Evertsen Bout,
Hendrick Hendricksen Kip.

PROVISIONAL ORDER

FOR THE GOVERNMENT, PRESERVATION AND PEOPLING OF NEW NETHERLAND.

Anno 1650.—[*Extract.*]

[Holland Doc. V.]

Art. X. The request for freedoms and exemptions shall be more fully examined, together with the considerations moved thereupon.

XVII. And within the city of New Amsterdam shall be erected a Burgher Government, consisting of a Sheriff, two Burgomasters, and five Schepens.

XVIII. In the meanwhile shall the Nine men continue for three years longer, and have Jurisdiction over Small Causes arising between Man and Man, to decide definitively such as do not exceed the sum of Fifty Guilders, and no higher, with the privilege of appeal.*

* The above "order" will be found entire in O'Callaghan's Hist. of N. Netherland. Vol. 2. p. 132, but so much of it only is here given as applies to the first establishment of a Municipal form of government, in the present city of New York.

THE DIRECTORS OF THE WEST INDIA COMPANY

TO THE DIRECTOR AND COUNCIL OF NEW NETHERLAND, DATED AMSTERDAM, THE 4TH APRIL 1652.

[DUTCH RECORDS, LETTER Q, 1648–1664.]

"We have already connived as much as possible at the many impurtinences of some Restless spirits in the hope that they might be shamed by our discreetness and benevolence, but perceiving that all kindnesses do not avail, we must, therefore, have recourse to God, to Nature and the Law. We accordingly hereby charge and command your Honors, whenever you shall certainly discover any Clandestine Meetings, Conventicles or machinations against our States' government or that of our Country, that you proceed against such malignants in proportion to their crimes, with this precaution however, that we in no wise require that any one should have it in his power to complain, with reason or cause, that he was injured through private malice, which is far from our intention.

"We remark in many Representations, though of Malversants that some hide themselves under this cloak, though we must believe and even see, that they have not, in reality, so suffered; yet to stop the mouth of all the world, we have resolved, on your Honors' proposition, to permit you hereby, to erect there a Court of Justice (*een banck van Justitie*) formed as much as possible, after the custom of this City: to which end printed copies relative to all the Law courts and their whole government are sent herewith.

"And we presume that it will be sufficient at first to choose one Sheriff,* two Burgomasters and five Schepens, from all of whose judgments an appeal shall lie to the Supreme Council, where definitive judgment shall be decreed.

"In the Election of the aforesaid persons every attention must be paid to honest and respectable individuals who we hope can be found among the Burghers; and especially do we wish that those promoted thereto be, as much as possible, persons of this Nation, who we suppose will give the most satisfaction to the Burghers and Inhabitants."

INSTRUCTION FOR THE SHERIFF OF NEW AMSTERDAM.

[DUTCH RECORDS; LETTER V. 1652–1663.]

1. In the first place, the Sheriff shall, as the Director General and Council's guardian of the law in the district of the City of New Amsterdam, preserve, protect and maintain, to the best of his knowledge and ability, the preeminences and immunities of the privileged West India Company, in as far as these have been delegated by previous Instruction to the Board of Burgomasters and Schepens; without any dissimulation, or regard for any private favor or displeasure.

2 In the quality aforesaid, he shall convoke the meetings of Burgomasters and Schepens and preside thereat, also propose all matters which shall be brought there for deliberation, collect the Votes, and resolve according to the plurality thereof.

* In a duplicate of the above Despatch, the words "een Schout" (a Sheriff,) are crossed over with ink, tho' not of the same color as that in which the original was written. New Amsterdam did not have a City Sheriff until 1660.

3. He shall ex-officio, prosecute all contraveners, defrauders and transgressors, of any placards, Laws, Statutes and Ordinances which are already made and published or shall hereafter be enacted and made public, as far as those are amenable before the Court of Burgomasters and Schepens, and with this understanding that, having entered his suit against the aforesaid Contraveners, he shall immediately use, and await the judgment of Burgomasters and Schepens who being prepared shall also, on his motion, pronounce the same

4. And in order that he may well and regularly institute his complaint, the Sheriff, before entering his action or arresting any person, shall pertinently inform himself of the crime of which he shall accuse him, without his being empowered to arrest any one, on the aforesaid information, unless the offence be committed in his presence.

5. He shall take all his informations in the presence of two members of the Board of Burgomasters and Schepens if the case shall permit it, or otherwise in the presence of two discreet persons who, with the Secretary or his deputy shall sign the aforesaid informations.

6. Which aforesaid Secretary with the Court Messenger are expressly commanded to assist and be serving unto the Sheriff in whatever relates to their respective offices.

7. He shall take care in collecting and preparing informations to act impartially, and to bring the truth as clear and naked as possible to light, noting to that end, all circumstances which in any way deserve consideration, and appertain to the case.

8. Item. The aforesaid Sheriff, on learning, or being informed that any persons have injured each other or quarrelled, shall have power to command the said individuals, either personally or by the court messenger, or his deputy to observe the peace, and to forbid them committing any assault, on pain of arbitrary correction at the discretion of the Burgomasters and Schepens.

9. He shall not have power to compound with any person for their committed offences except with the knowledge of the Burgomasters and Schepens.

10. He shall take care that all judgments pronounced by the Burgomasters and Schepens, and which are not appealed from, shall be executed conformably to the above mentioned Instruction given to the same, according to the stile and custom of Fatherland and especially the city of Amsterdam.

11. In like manner, that authentic copies of all the Judgments, Orders, Acts and Resolutions to be adopted by the aforesaid Burgomasters and Schepens shall be communicated once every year, to the Director General and Council of New Netherland.

12 And in case he receive any information or statement of any offences which from their nature, or on account of the offending person are not subject to his complaint, he shall be bound forthwith to communicate the same to the Fiscal (Attorney Genl.) without taking any information himself, much less arresting the offender, unless in actual aggression to prevent greater mischief, or hinder flight in consequence of the enormity of the crime.

13. Which being done, he shall, as before, surrender without any delay the apprehended person with the information taken to the Fiscal, to be proceeded against by him in due form as circumstances demand.

14 In order that the aforesaid Sheriff shall be the more encouraged hereunto, he shall enjoy etc.

This must be fixed in the country yonder, with advice.

15. Should the Sheriff violate any of these Articles he shall be prosecuted on the complaint of the Fiscal before the Director and Council, to be punished according to the nature of the case.

NICOLLS' CHARTER, 1665.

[BOOK OF GENERAL ENTRIES I.]

THE GOVERNORS REVOCATION OF YE FFORME OF GOVERNMENT OF NEW YORKE UNDR YE STYLE OF BURGOMASTR & SCHEPENS.

By virtue of his Maties Letters Pattents bearing date the 12th day of March in the 16th year of his Maties Reigne Granted to His Royall Highnesse, James Duke of Yorke wherein full & absolute power is given and granted to his Royall Highnesse or his Deputyes to Constitute, appoint, revoke and discharge all Officers both Civill & military, as also to alter and change all Names & styles fformes or Ceremonyes of Government: To the End that His Maties Royall Pleasure may be observed & for the more Orderly establishment of his Maties Royall authority, as near as may bee Agreeable to the Lawes and Customes of his Maties Realme of England; upon Mature deliberacion & advice, I have thought it necessary to Revoke & discharge, and by these P'sents in his Maties Name, do revoke and discharge the fforme and Ceremony of Government of this his Maties Towne of New Yorke, under the name or names, style or styles of Scout, Burgomasters & Schepens; As also, that for the future Administration of Justice by the Lawes established in these the Territoryes of His Royall Highnesse wherein the welfares of all the Inhabitants and the Preservacon of all their due Rights and Privlleges, Graunted by the Articles of this Towne upon Surrender under his Maties Obedience are concluded; I do further declare, That by a particular Commission, such persons shall be authorized to putt the Lawes in Execucon, in whose abilityes prudence & good affection to his Maties Service and ye Peace and happinesse of this Government I have especiall reason to put Confidence, which persons so constituted and appointed, shall be knowne and call'd by the Name & Style of Mayor Aldermen & Sheriffe, according to the Custome of England in other his Maties Corpora cons; Given under my hand & Seale at ffort James in New Yorke this 12th day of June 1665.

RICHARD NICOLLS.

THE MAYOR & ALDERMEN'S COMMISSION.

Whereas upon mature deliberacon and advice, I have found it necessary to discharge the fforme of Government late in practice wthin this his Maties Towne of New Yorke, under the name and style of Scout, Burgomasters and Schepens, which are not knowne or customary in any of his Maties Dominions; To the end that the course of Justice for the future may be legally, equally and impartially administered to all his Maties Subjects as well Inhabitants as Strangers; Know all Men by these Presents, That I Richard Nicolls, Deputy Governr to his Royall Highnesse, the Duke of York, by virtue of his Maties Letters Pattents, bearing date the 12th day of March in ye 16th yeare of his Maties Reigne, Do ordaine, constitute and declare, that the Inhabitants of New Yorke, New Harlem, wth all other his Maties Subjects Inhabitants upon this Island, commonly called & knowne by the Name of the Manhattans Island, are and shall bee for ever accounted, nominated and Established, as one Body Politique and Corporate under the Government of a Mayor, Aldermen and Sheriffe, and I do by these P'sents constitute and appoint for one whole year, commencing from the date hereof, and ending the 12th day of June wch shall be in the yeare of our Lord 1666;

Mr Thomas Willett to bee Mayor, Mr Thomas Delavall, Mr Oloffe Stuyvesant, Mr John Brugges, Mr Cornelius Van Ruyven & Mr John Lawrence to bee Aldermen, and Mr Allard Anthony to be Sheriffe ; Giving & Granting to them the said Mayor and Aldermen, or any four of them, whereof the said Mayor or his Deputy, shall be always one, and upon Equall division of voyces, to have always the casting and decisive voyce, full power and authoritye to Rule & Governe as well all the Inhabitants of this Corporacon, as any Strangers, according to the Generall Lawes of this Governmen^{t} and such peculiar Lawes as are, or shall be thought convenient & necessary for the good and Welfare of this his Ma^{ites} Corporacon ; as also to appoint such under officers, as they shall judge necessary, for the orderly execution of Justice ; and I do hereby strictly charge and command all persons to obey & execute, from Time to Time, all such warrants, orders and Constitutions as shall be made by the said Mayor and Aldermen as they will answer the Contrary at their utmost Perils ; And for the due administration of Justice, according to the fforme and manner prescribed in this Commission, by the Mayor, Aldermen & Sheriffe, These Presents shall be to them, & every of them, a sufficient Warrant and discharge in that behalfe ; Given under my hand and seale at ffort James in New Yorke this 12th day of June 1665.

Rich Nicolls.

BENCKES AND EVERTSEN'S CHARTER, 1673.

[New Orange Rec.]

The Commanders and Honble Council of War in the service of their High Mightinesses the Lords States General of the United Netherlands and his Serene Highness the Lord Prince of Orange, etc Health !

Whereas, We have deemed it necessary, for the advantage and prosperity of Our City New Orange, recently restored to the Obedience of the said High and Mighty Lord States General of the United Netherlands and his Serene Highness the Lord Prince of Orange, to Reduce the form of Government of this City to its previous character of Schout, Burgomasters and Schenpens as is practised in all the Cities of our Fatherland, to the end that Justice may be maintained and administered to all good Inhabitants without Respect or Regard to persons ; Therefore We by virtue of our Commission, in the names and on behalf of the High and Mighty Lords States General of the United Netherlands and his Serene Highness the Lord Prince of Orange, have elected from the Nomination exhibited by those in office as Regents of this City for the term of one current year,

As Schout Anthony de Millt

As Burgomasters
- Johannes Van Brugen
- Johannes de Peyster
- Egedius Luyck

As Schepens
- Willem Beeckman
- Jeronimus Ebbyng
- Jacob Kip
- Louwerens Vander Spiegal
- Geleyn Verplanck

Which above named Schout Burgomasters and Schepens are hereby authorized and empowered to govern the inhabitants of this city, both Burgers and Strangers, conformably to the Laws and Statutes of our Fatherland, and make therein such orders as they shall find advantageous and proper to this city [Here the paper is destroyed] and the inhabitants of this City are well and strictly ordered and enjoined to respect & honor the above named Regents in their respective qualities as all Loyal and Faithful Subjects are bound to do. Done ffortress Willem Hendrick, this 17th August Ao 1673

(Was Signed)

Jacob Benckes — Cornelis Evertsen, the Younger.
Nicolaas Boes — A. Colve.
A F. Van Zeyll.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE UNDER SHERIFF AND SCHEPENS

OF THE SUBURBS (BUYTEN LUYDEN) BETWEEN HAERLEM AND THE FRESH WATER ; DATED THE 14TH OF NOVEMBER, 1673.

[New Orange Record.]

Firstly. The Under Sheriff shall preside at all the meetings but when he officiates for himself as a party, or on behalf of justice, he shall on such occasions rise up and absent himself from the Bench, and in this case have neither an advisory much less a casting vote, but the oldest Schepen shall preside in his place.

2nd The Under Sheriff and Schepens are authorised to pronounce definitive judgment, without appeal, in suits for debt between man and man &c. arising within their District to the amount of fl. 100 Seawan currency ; also in minor criminal cases such as fighting, striking, scolding & such like, but in all cases exceeding said sum of fl. 100, the aggrieved person may appeal to the Honble Court here.

3dly. Whenever any cases come before the court in which any of the Schepens are interested as parties, in such cases they shall rise up and absent themselves from the Bench as is hereinbefore directed in the first article of the Under Sheriff.

4thly. All Inhabitants within the aforesaid District shall be citable before the said Under Sheriff and Schepens who shall hold their court as often as necessary.

5thly. The said Under Sheriff and Schepens shall be obliged strictly to observe and punctually to execute all such placards and orders as shall from time to time be directed to them from the Worshipful Court here.

6thly. Whereas We are informed of the great ravages the Wolf commits on the small cattle, therefore to animate and encourage the proprietors who will go out and shoot the same, We have resolved to authorize the Under Sheriff and Schepens to give public notice that whoever shall exhibit a Wolf to them which hath been shot on this Island on this side Haarlem shall be promptly paid therefor by them ; For a Wolf fl. 20. and for a She Wolf fl 30 Seawan or the value thereof, which said Under Sheriff and Schepens shall by their messenger levy from those who keep any cattle, large or small, within their district, on said Island, each of whom shall, according to the number of cattle, be bound to contribute & pay thereto whatever he shall be taxed thereupon by the Under Sheriff & Schepens.

7thly. Whoever shall fail to pay his fine on the first second and third notice in the name of the Under Sheriff and Schepens, shall be proceeded against with prompt execution by the Under Sheriff.

8thly. Whoever shall allow execution to issue, must pay in addition five stivers on each guilder which he owes for the behoff of the Under Sheriff for the trouble of the Execution.

9thly. Whereas 'tis necessary that the Pound shall be properly kept, the Under Sheriff & Schepens are therefore authorized and ordered to attend that the same be maintained conjointly by those who have lands there ; and further make such orders regarding the cattle enclosures (fences ?) as they shall find for the advantage of agriculture, which orders each and every are ordered promptly to observe as if they were made by ourselves.

10thly. Said Under Sheriff and Schepens shall take good heed in the suits brought before them strict justice to administer according to the best of their knowledge, without distinction or respect of persons, or any partiality ; and further, the Under Sheriff shall as much as possible prevent and check all disputes and quarrels that may arise within his District.

11thly. The Under Sheriff and Schepens shall, as often as they deem necessary, give publick Notice that any person who causes or allows trees to fall in a common wagon road shall again remove the same, branches and all, from the road, before the going down of the Sun subsequent to the falling of the tree, and make the road passable—or in default thereof and in case a fine be imposed therefor by the Under Sheriff or his order, he shall pay for each tree found across the highway, a fine of fl. 20. to be applied, one half for the Under Sheriff & the other half for the informer ; and the person fined shall, notwithstanding this, be bound to remove the tree instantly from the road.

12thly If any one exhibit any indisposition towards the order of the Under Sheriff and Scephens, and come before the Court here, and the matter be discovered well founded, he shall pay double the imposed fine.

13thly. The choice of all Inferior officers (the Secretary alone excepted) shall be henceforward made by the said Under Sheriff and Schepens, & they shall be confirmed in their respective Qualities after being approved by the Worshipl Court here.

14thly. If any thing further be necessary for Agriculture, or should there be any obscurity or omission or want of clearness in these Instructions, the Under Sheriff and Schepens shall on occasion, communicate the fact to the Bench.

And finally, said Under Sheriff shall 14 days before the Expiration of their year, apply to the Honble Court here to receive its order regarding the new Nomination of the Under Sheriff and Schepens. Thus done in the City Hall of this City, at the Court of the Schout, Burgomasters & Schepens.

COLVES CHARTER, 1674.

[New Orange Rec.]

PROVISIONAL INSTRUCTION FOR THE SCHOUT, BURGOMASTERS AND SCHEPENS OF THE CITY OF NEW ORANGE.

1st. The Schout and Magistrates, each in his quality shall take care that the Reformed Christian Religion conformable to the Synod of Dordrechts shall be maintained, without suffering any other Sects attempting any thing contrary thereto.

2. The Schout shall be present at all Meetings and preside there, unless the Honble. Heer Governour or some person appointed by him be present who then shall preside, when the Schout shall rank next below the youngest acting Burgomaster. But whensoever the Schout acts as Prosecutor on behalf of Justice or otherwise, having made his complaint, he shall then rise up and absent himself from the Bench during the deciding of the case.

3. All matters appertaining to the Police, Security, and Peace of the Inhabitants, also to Justice between man and man, shall be determined by final Judgment by the Schout, Burgomasters and Schepens aforesaid to the amount of Fifty Beavers and under, but in all cases exceeding that sum, each one shall be at liberty to appeal to the Heer Governour General & Council here.

4. All Criminal offences which shall be committed within this City and the Jurisdiction thereof shall be amenable to the Judicature of said Schout, Burgomasters and Schepens who shall have power to judge and sentence the same even unto DEATH inclusive; provided and on condition, that no sentence of corporal punishment shall be executed unless the approval of the Heer Governour General and Council shall be first sought and obtained therefor.

5. The Court shall be convoked by the President Burgomaster who shall, the night before, make the same known to Capt. Willem Knyff, (who is hereby provisionally qualified and authorized to be present at and preside over the Court in the name and on the behalf of the Hr. Governour,) and so forth to the remaining Schout, Burgomasters and Schepens.

6. All motions shall be put by the first Burgomaster, whose proposition being made and submitted for consideration, the Commissioner there presiding in the name of the Hr. Governour, shall first vote there, and so afterwards the remaining Magistrates each according to his rank; and the votes being collected, it shall then be concluded according to plurality; But if it happen that the votes are equal, the President shall then have power to decide by his vote, in which case those of the contrary opinion as well as those of the minority may Register their opinions on the minutes, but not publish the same in any manner out of the Court on pain of arbitary Correction.

7. The Burgomasters shall change rank every half year, wherein the oldest shall first occupy the place of President and the next shall follow him; but during this current year the change shall take place every 4 months, since three Burgomasters are appointed for this year.

8. The Schout, Burgomasters and Schepens shall hold their Session and Court Meeting as often as the same shall be necessary, on condition of previously appointing regular days therefor.

9. The Schout, Burgomasters and Schepens shall have power to enact, and with the approbation of the Hr Governour to publish and affix some Statutes, Ordinances and Placards for the Peace, Quiet and Advantage of this City and the inhabitants thereof within their district, provided that the same do not in any wise conflict, but agree, as much as possible, with the Laws and Statutes of our Fatherland.

10. Said Schout and Burgomasters and Schepens shall be bound rigidly to observe and cause to be observed the Placards and Ordinances of the Chief Magistracy, and not to suffer anything to be done contrary thereto, but proceed, against the Contraveners according to the tenor thereof; and further promptly execute such orders as the Heer Governour General shall send them from time to time.

11. The Schout, Burgomaster & Schepens shall be also bound to acknowledge their High Mightinesses the Lords States General of the United Ne-

therlands, and His Serene Highness the Lord Prince of Orange as their Sovereign Rulers, and to maintain their High Jurisdiction, Right and Domain in this Country.

12. The election of all inferior officers and servants in the employ of said Schout, Burgomasters and Schepens shall, with the sole exception of the Secretary, be made and confirmed by themselves.

13. The Schout shall execute all judgments of the Burgomasters and Schepens, without relaxing any, unless with the advice of the Court, also take good care that the jurisdiction under his authority shall be cleansed of all Vagabonds, Whorehouses, Gambling houses and such impurities.

14. The Schout shall receive all fines imposed during his time, provided they do not exceed yearly the sum of Twelve hundred Guilders Seawant value, which having received he shall enjoy the just half of all the other fines, on condition that he presume neither directly nor indirectly to compound with any criminals, but leave them to the judgment of the Magistrates.

15. The Schout, Burgomasters and Schepens aforesaid shall convoke an Assembly on the 11th day of the month of August, being eight days before the Election of new Magistrates, and in presence of the Commissioner to be qualified for that purpose by the Honble Governr General, nominate a double number of the best qualified honorable and wealthy persons, and only such as are of the Reformed Christian Religion, or at least well affected towards it, as Schout, Burgomasters and Schepens aforesaid, which nomination shall be handed and presented folded & sealed, on the same day, to his Honor; from which nomination the Election shall then be made by his Honor on the 17th day of the Month of August, with continuation of some of the old Magistrates, in case his Honor shall deem the same necessary. Done, Ffort Willem Hendrick the 15th January 1674.

By Order of the Honble Heer
Governr General of
New Netherland,
(Was Signed) N. Bayard, Secrety

BRITISH PRISON SHIPS AT NEW YORK.

The prison ships were intended for sailors taken on the high seas, while landsmen were mostly confined in churches and jails. The freight vessels that brought the soldiers of Britain to Staten Island in 1776, were the first prison ships. On board these as they lay in Gravesend Bay, the American prisoners taken at the battle of Brooklyn, were confined for a few weeks till the enemy got possession of New York city. They were then removed thither, and the vessels anchored in the North and East rivers.

In a year or two, the prison ships were moored a few rods from the Long Island shore in a retired nook called the Wallabocht. Here, sheltered from wind and wave, lay in succession at least a dozen old hulks, usually two or three at a time, such as the Whitby, Good Hope, Prince of Wales, Falmouth, Scorpion, Strombolo, Hunter, &c. Two were burnt by the prisoners themselves, either in the extremity of despair, or the vain hope of liberty. In 1780, the Jersey was stationed in the Wallabocht. The large numbers confined in her, their great mortality and the length of time she was used as a prison ship, have given such notoriety to her inglorious name that in popular story she seems to have been the only prison ship during the whole war; and while the accumulated horrors and miseries of all the others have been laid on the Jersey alone. Even so early as 1783, a reckless news-

paper writer estimated, (on what authority it is not stated) that precisely 10,644 seamen perished on board the Jersey, and this baseless conjecture has gradually passed into sober history, for a well-attested fact, as if 10,644 men could have died out of one ship in the space of three years, and been buried on the adjacent shore! The number that perished was doubtless fearfully great, and needed no exaggeration.

It would be impossible to convey an idea of the sufferings of the prisoners, whether occasioned by sickness and neglect of personal cleanliness, or the want of wholesome food and comfortable clothing.

The prevalent diseases were dysentery, small pox and prison fever, although hospital ships were provided to which the sick were removed, yet from the malignity of the disease and the despondency of the patient, or for want of good nursing and proper medical attendance, they perished by scores. It does not appear that there was any systematic plan of charity formed for their relief by the inhabitants of New York. No person ever visited these pestilential hulks to administer aid, bestow a cheering smile, or shed a sympathetic tear. All was solitary sullen gloom, only varied by the taunts and imprecations of their unfeeling guards.

During the whole war there were more or less difficulties in exchanging prisoners, each party fearing the other would get some advantage. Meanwhile the prisoners suffered, languished and died. The long detention of prisoners must be attributed in part to Congress, who were unwilling to release healthy British prisoners for emaciated Americans, (who were mostly privateersmen and not engaged in Continental service) as this would give the enemy permanent strength without receiving an equivalent. Often, too, the balance was against us—we had no prisoners to give in exchange; for although our privateers captured vast numbers of British vessels, yet their crews were often suffered to go at large, or enlist in American vessels.

The Jersey was originally a 60-gun ship, but becoming unfit for sea-service, was dismantled in 1776 and lay as a store-ship at Tolmie's wharf, New York. On the Good Hope's being burnt in 1780, she was removed to the Wallabocht and used as a prison ship till the close of the war, when she was suffered to go to decay, the worms soon destroyed her bottom, and she was afterwards sunk. Her ribs lay exposed at low water for more than twenty years, and are now covered by the United States Navy yard.

The crew of this vessel consisted of a captain, two mates, a steward, cook and a dozen sailors. There was also a guard of twelve old invalid marines and about thirty soldiers drafted from the British corps lying on Long Island. Near her lay three hospital ships, Scorpion, Strombolo and Hunter.

When a prisoner was first brought on the deck of the Jersey, his name and rank were registered; he was searched for weapons and money, but allowed to retain his clothes and bedding He was then ordered down into the hold where he found perhaps a thousand human beings mostly covered with rags and filth, their faces pale with disease, and emaciated with hunger, anxiety and "thoughts of home." He next joined "a mess" of six persons who every morning at the ringing of the steward's bell, received their daily allowance of biscuit, pease and beef or pork, which was cooked in a large copper kettle. Oatmeal, flour, butter and suet were occasionally added, but no vegetables. The food was usually deficient in quantity and quality; the biscuit mouldy and crawling with worms, the pease damaged, the butter rancid, the meal and flour often sour, the pork and beef unsavory, and yet the highest prices were charged to the King by his rapacious commissaries, who exchanged good for bad provisions, and by curtailing rations and other embezzlements, amassed large fortunes at the expense of the health and even lives of helpless prisoners. Those who succeeded in concealing a little money, were enabled to procure at exorbitant

rates, such small articles as were sold by an old woman who daily approached the ship in her little boat laden with bread, sugar, tobacco, needles, thread, combs and the like.

Every morning the prisoners brought up their bedding to be aired, washed the floors and spent the day on deck. At sunset the cry was "down, rebels down!" when the hatches were fastened, and the prisoners lay down in rows to sleep, if sleep they could, amid the mingled horror of sighs and groans, of putrid air and stifling heat.

When a prisoner died, his companions sowed his body in a blanket, (if he had one) lowered it into a boat and were allowed to go on shore with it under guard. Here they made a slight excavation in the bank or on the shore, in which the corps was hastily buried. Many of these bodies were subsequently uncovered by the violence of wind or wave, and the bones lay scattered for years and whitening in the sun. In 1803 nearly twenty hogsheads were collected and deposited in one common sepulchre.

The prisoners were at first allowed free use of the decks of the prison ship till a successful attempt at escape, when they were restrained within such narrow limits, as left the more commanding parts of the ship in possession of the guard; or kept below, only a few allowed to come up at a time for fresh air, exercise, and other requirements of nature. Although they were under the strict surveillance of a sentinel who constantly paced the deck, yet escapes were not unfrequent, as the following instances will show:—

"One evening in 1777 a boat happened to be fastened to the vessel's side. The chance of escaping in her immediately suggested itself, when three or four prisoners quietly let themselves down into the boat, cast her off and let her drift astern. They were lucky enough to get clear of the ship unperceived, and at length to reach the Jersey shore in safety. Their elopement was soon discovered, but it being dark, pursuit and random shot were unavailing."

"At midnight in 1779, nine sea captains and two privates made their escape from the Good Hope in the North river. They had previously confined the mate, disarmed the sentinels and hoisted out the boat, which was on deck. They had scarce got clear before the alarm was given, when they were fired on by three ships, but none were hurt."

"In the cold winter of 1780, fifteen prisoners escaped on the ice in the East river; a number of others made the attempt, some of whom being frost-bitten and unable to endure the cold, were retaken and carried back. One was frozen to death before he reached the shore."

"A prisoner on board the Falmouth having, as if by accident, thrown his hat overboard, begged leave to go after it in a small boat, which lay alongside. A sentinel, with only his side-arms on, got into the boat with four of the prisoners. Having reached the hat, they secured the sentinel and made for the Jersey shore, though several armed boats pursued and shot was fired from the shipping."

"In June, 1780, five American officers and thirty privates made their escape from the prison ship at New York and got safely off."

"In March, 1781, Capt. Cahoon and four others escaped from the prison ship to Long Island in a boat, notwithstanding they were fired on from the prison and hospital ships, and pursued by guard boats from three in the afternoon till seven in the evening."

The prisoners in the Jersey, it is said, had obtained a crowbar, which was kept concealed in the berth of some trusty officer, and used to break off port gratings in stormy nights. A number who were good swimmers thus escaped. These attempts, however, often ended tragically.

[I am indebted to Mr. H. Onderdonk of Jamaica, Long Island, for the preceding.]

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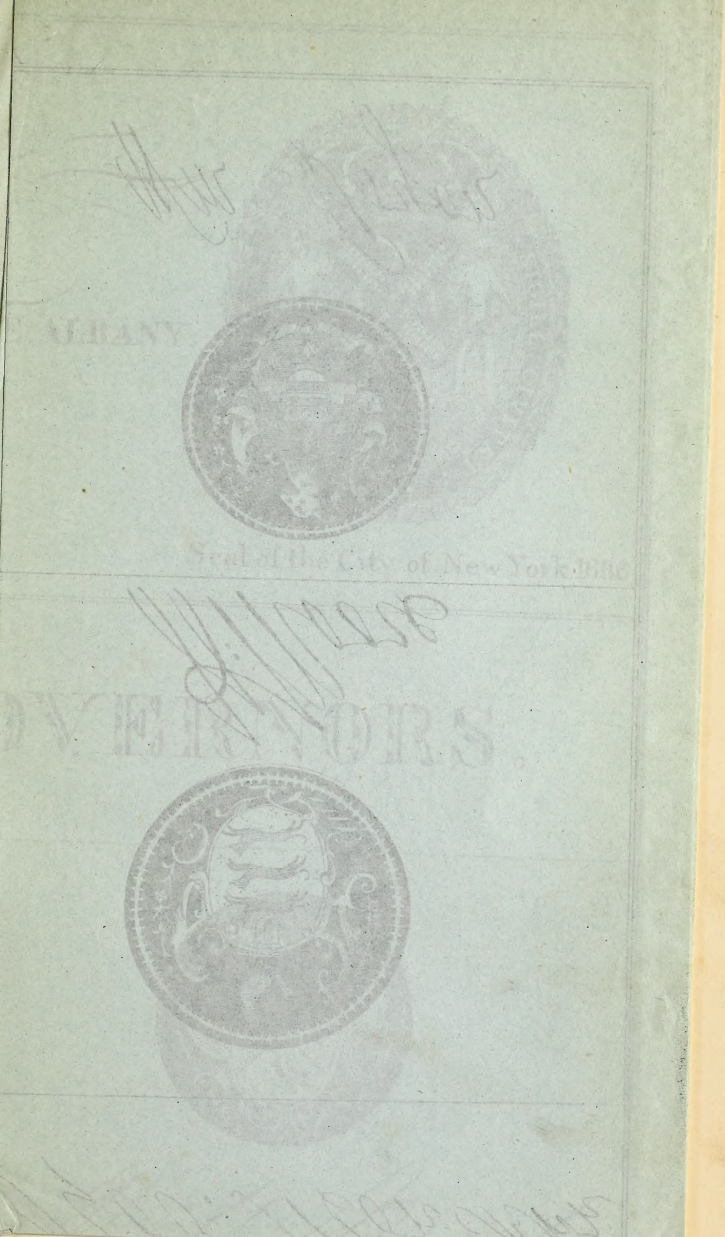

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Seal of New Amsterdam 1654.

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SEALS OF COLONIAL GOVERNORS.

James De Lancey

Robt. Monckton

R. Hunter

Dunmore

W. Moore

W. Tryon

Cadwallader Colden

Wm Tryon

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IN THE OFF

Seal of New Amsterdam 1653

SEALS OF

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OF THE

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WHICH HAVE NOT HITHERTO BEEN PUBLISHED, AND BEING A CONTINUATION OF PREVIOUS NUMBERS OF THE MANUAL.

Prayer before Meeting.

O God of Gods and Lord of Lords: and Heavenly and Merciful Father. We thank thee that thou hast not only created us in thine own image but that thou has received us as thy children and guests when we were lost.

And in addition to this it has pleased thee to place us in the government of thy people in this place. O Lord our God: we thy wretched creatures acknowledge that we are not worthy of this honour, and we have neither strength or sufficiency to discharge the trust committed to us except thou vouchsave us thine assistance.

We beseech thee Oh Fountain of all good gifts qualify us by thy grace that we may with fidelity and righteousness serve in our respective offices. To this end enlighten our darkened understandings, that we may be able to distinguish the right from the wrong, the truth from falsehood, and that we may give pure and uncorrupted decisions, having an eye upon thy word, a sure guide, giving to the simple wisdom and knowledge. Let thy law be a light unto our feet and a light unto our paths, so that we may never turn away from the path of righteousness, deeply impress on all our minds that we are accountable not to men but unto God, who seeth all things. Let all respect of persons be far removed from us that we may award justice unto the rich and the poor, unto friends and enemies, to residents and to strangers according to the law of truth, and not one of us may in any instance swerve therefrom. And since gifts do blind the eyes of the wise and destroy the heart, therefore keep our hearts in judgment. Grant unto us also that we may not rashly prejudice any one without a hearing, but that we patiently hear the parties and give them time and opportunity for defending themselves, in all things looking up to thee and thy word for counsel and direction. Graciously incline our hearts that we exercise the power which thou hast given to us to the general good of the community, to the maintenance of the churches that we may be a praise to them that do well and a terror to evil doers.

Incline also the hearts of the subjects unto due obedience so that through their respect and obedience our burthens may be made the lighter.

Thou knowest Oh Lord that the wicked and the ungodly do generally contemn and transgress thine ordinances. Wherefore clothe us with strength, courage and fortitude and promptitude, that we may with all due earnest and zeal, be steadfast unto the death against all sinners and misdemeanors. Oh good and gracious God command thy blessing upon all our adopted

resolutions that they may be rendered effectual and redound to the honor of thy great and holy name, to the greatest good of the trusts committed to us, and to our salvation. Hear and answer us Oh Gracious God in these our petitions and in all that thou seest we need, through the merits of Jesus Christ thy beloved Son, in whose name we thus conclude our prayer. Our Father which art in Heaven, hallowed be thy name ; thy Kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors, and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil, for thine is the Kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

At a Court of the Wo. Hr. Schout, Burgomasters and Schepens holden in the City Hall, on the 2nd November 1672.

Present.....
- Anthony de Milt..... *Schout.*
- Johannis Van Brugh, Johannis de Puyster, } *Burgomasters.*
- Willem Beekman, Jeronimus Ebbingh, Jacob Kipp, Laurens V. Spiegell, Guiliam Verplanck, } *Schepens.*

Anthony de Milt in quality as Schout of this City Pl't.
William Coocke, prisoner and Def't.

Pl't says that the prisoner on the 23d November last treated the Hr. President Burgomaster Johannis Van Brugh very ill in presence of the W. Hr. Schepens J. Ebbingh and gelyn Verplanck & refused with very bad language to obey his commands, etc.

Concluding therefore that the prisoner ought to be condemned to exhibit due repentance therefore and be fined fl. 50. with costs.

The Wo. Court having considered and read the petition of the prisoner setting forth in substance that he was heartily sorry for what had passed requesting that the Wo Court would please forgive him for this time, the rather as it happened through hastiness and ignorance ; Whereupon the prisoner being come into Court again verbaly admits what he had before stated in writing.

The Wo. Court having seen the prisoners confession discharged the prisoner from his imprisonment and condemn him in a fine or penalty of fl. 30 gl. with costs.

At a Court of the Wo. Schout, Burgomasters and Schepens of the City N. Orange, holden at the City Hall on the 7th November 1673,

Present.....
- Anthony De Milt,..... *Schout.*
- Johannis Van Brugh, Johannis de Puyster, Ægidius Luyck, } *Burgomasters.*
- Willem Beeckman, Jeronimus Ebbingh, Jacob Kipp, Lourens V. Spiegal, Guilium Ver Planck, } *Schepens.*

In the matter in question between Jacob de Haert and Carsten Liersen, their Wo. have appointed as arbitrators Sieur Daeniell Hondecoetri and Reynier Willemsen who are hereby required and requested to look into the above question, and if possible to reconcile parties and to report their award to the Court.

G. Minviele by his Atty Joh. Coderrie arrestant & Pl't.
William Shackerly, Def't.

Pl't demands from the Def't a negro boy according to agreement with fl. 69. 10. and 855 lbs. muscovado sugar according to obligation.

Def't admits the debt ; but has no opportunity to ship it hither in consequence of this change of government.

The Wo Court having heard the arguments on both sides and having examined the obligation & contract, decree and order that in case no ship were permitted to come hither from Barbadoes within 12 months, the sale of the negro shall be annulled provided the Def't shall pay the Pl't the debt to the sum of fl. 717 10. zewt. and 835 lbs. muscovado sugar, deducting the freight and other expenses, according to obligation ; also that the Def't shall enter sufficient security therefor, and pay the costs here incurred.

10th Nov. Ad. 1673 on petition of Arent Eversten Ketelas, he is appointed corn measurer of this city.

At a Court of the Wo. Schout, Burgomasters and Schepens, holden at the City Hall N. Orange, on the 14th Nov. Ad. 1673.

Present.....
- Johannis Van Brugh, Johannis de Puyster, Ægidius Luyck, } *Burgomasters.*
- Jeronimus Ebbingh, Jacob Kipp, Lour. V. Spiegall, Guilyn Ver Planck, } *Schepens*

Peter Pieterson, *Pl't.*
ag'st
Jacob Leyslaer, *Def't.*

Def't. default.

Oloff Stevenson Van Cortlandt, *arres't and Pl't.*
ags't
Egbert Myndersten, *arrested and Def't.*

The attachment declared valid.

Claes Dietlofsen, *Plf't.*
ags't
Capt. John Backer, *Def't.*

Jan Smedes and Jan Myndersen, Carters declare that about nine years ago shortly after the surrender of this place they rode 300 p's of firewood out of the bush for Claes Dietlofsen, and afterwards brought the same firewood to Capt. Backer's house within this city, and the bill for carting has not yet been paid them by said Backer as they are prepared to declare on oath. Capt. Backer resided in Broadway in the house now occupied by Willem Van der Scheure.

At a Court holden in the City Hall of the City N. Orange on the 12th Decemb'r A. D. 1673.

Present.....
- Johannes Van Brugh, Johannes De Peyster, Ægidius Luyck, — *Burgomasters.*
- Willem Beeckman, Jeronimus Ebbingh, Jacob Kipp, Lourens Vander Spiegell, Guilaine Verplanck, — *Schepens.*

Oloff Stevense Cortland, *Pl't.*
ag'st
Eghbert Mynderse, *Def't.*

Pl't demands that the Def't may be ordered to move out his house & to pay him, the Pl't, the sum of fl. 300, for house and fl. 704 : 18 for Wines, beer etc. delivered : demands payment thereof.

Deft. remaining *contumax* in appearance for the 3d time, the W. Court orders that the def't shall remove out of Pl'ts. house within thrice 24 hours, and vacate the same, and the Def't was in like manner condemned to satisfy and pay the Pl't the debt.

Pieter Pietersen Van Essam, *Pl't.*
ag'st
Jacob Leyselaer, *Def't.*

Pl't demands payment from Def't of the dead freight of 25 hhds. of Tobacco which he should have brought from Maryland for the def't and were not shipped according to agreement by the def'ts factor, as he refused to ship the Tobacco.

Def't says the Pl't did not duly wait out his time, nor protest according to usage, and did not fulfill his contract, etc.

Burgomasters and Schepens having heard the arguments on both sides, and seen their proofs, decree and order that Def't shall pay the Pl't the full freight of 25 hhds. Tobacco hither, and that Def't shall again seek his recourse and guarantee on his factor Marck Corclea whom they understand is in fault.

Willem Jansen Werckloo, *Pl't.*
ag'st
Jacob Van Curlar's Att'y, *Def't.*

Pl't produces certain acte of the Sessions Court holden at gravesend the 19th July A. D. 1672 claims thereby preference after O : Stevense on the Estate of said Corlaer for the sum of fl. 406.

Def't replies that the Pl't ought not to have any preference as Corlear had promised to pay him with goods to be sent from Holland and he Pl't was content with that.

The W. Court decree that the Pl't shall come in concurrently with the other creditors except only those to whom the Def'ts have given security.

THE COMMISSIONERS OVER CAPT'N MANNINGH'S ESTATE *ag'st* THE CURATORS OF RITCHARD MARI'S ESTATE, *Def'ts.*

Pl'ts declare in writing.

Def'ts say they are not parties and have not wronged the Pl'ts, and that they are guardians only over the Child.

Postponed until the Burgomasters have first spoken with the Heer Governor on the subject to appoint Curators over it.

JACOB TEUNISSEN QUICK, *Pl't.* *ag'st* JOHN COOLY, *Def't.*

Pl't says he pawned a small gold ring with Def't for a pint of rum, and that he got a copper one again in its stead.

Def't says the little ring which he returned to the Pl'tf was the self same that he got from the Pl't in pawn.

Pl't is ordered to prove that he delivered a gold ring to the Def't.

DIRCK CLAESSEN POTTEBACKER, *Pl't.* *ag'st* THOMAS TAYLOR, *Def't.*

Both default.

ANNA CUYPERS, *Pl't.* *ag'st* HEYLLJE JACOBS, *Def't.*

Def't default.

POULUS VANDER BEECK, *Pl't.* *ag'st* GEORGE COPPET, *Def't.*

This case is suspended until the next court day.

PHILIP JOHNS, *Pl't.* *ag'st* DIRCK JANSEN VAN DEVENTER, *Def't.*

Pl't complains that he has been abused by the Def't, produces two declarations.

Def't says he has been threatened by the Pl't, produces also two declarations.

The W. Court postpones the case until the next Court day, as the Pl't has applied to the Schout who is not well at present.

The H'r SCHOUT A. D. MILL, *Pl't.* *ag'st* DIRCK JANSEN VAN DEVENTER, *Def't.*

Def't appears and says that the persons who should testify for him are not in the place.

Suspended 'till the next Court day, as the H'r Schout is sick.

ALLARD ANTHONY, *Pl't.*
ag'st
DIRCK JANSEN VAN DEVENTER, *Def't.*

Pl't demands according to ac. for sheriff fees £1 : 6 : 2 and fl. 32 : 16. Demands judgment.

Def't makes some objections to Pl'ts ac. & maintains that he is not indebted to the Pl't a he never demanded the same before now nor had any ac. from him.

Pl't is ordered to render due ac. to the Def't under his signature, and the Def't is ordered to bring in on the next Court day what he has paid or has to object thereto.

ALLARD ANTHONY, *Arrestant & Pl't.*
ag'st
ROBBERD COO, *Arrested & Def't.*

Pl't demands £15. from the Def't on Andrew Messenger's ac. according to an obligation.

Def't admits that there was a bill of £15. which he should pay, whereupon has been paid an ox to Dudly Lovelace so that there now remains £7 : 19 : 8 in County pay, and is willing to pay the same.

Pl't undertakes to prove his statement.

Def't says also that he will prove that there is only £7 : 19 : 8 in his hands.

Both are ordered to bring in their evidence.

ALLARD ANTHONY, *Pl't.*
ag'st
WILLIAM WHEYT, *Def't.*

Pl't demands £2 : 13 for Sheriff's fees from the Def't as Executor of the late Nathaniell Wright.

William Whyte is ordered to render an ac. of Wright's Estate at the next Court day, & to reply at the same time to Pl'ts ac.

GEORGE COPPETT, *Pl't.*
ag'st
ANNA MENNCETT, *Def't.*

Pl't says that Def't came into his house when he and his wife were not at home and looking through the whole house took away a bed.

Def't says it was her bed & that she lent it to pippinger who had pawned it there.

Def't is ordered to bring the bed where she took it from, within 3 times 24 hours, and to prove that it is her bed.

ABELL HARDENBROECK, *Pl't.*
ag'st
LAYSBETT CLAESE, *Def't.*

Pl't demands from the def't fl. 70 for rent.

Def't admits the debt, but he is unable to pay the debt.

The Wo. Court condemns the def't to satisfy and pay the Pl't the debt.

ANNA ROEMERS, *Pl't.*
ag'st
SIMON JANSEN ROMYN, *Def't.*
Def't 1 default.

ABELL HARDENBROECK, *Pl't.*
ag'st
PIETER JANSE SHOLL, *Arrested & Def't.*
Jonathan Provost, deft's bail, default.
Teunis Craey's wife appears in Court, requests an end with Allard Anthony.

N. BAYARD, *Arrestant & Pl't.*
ag'st
PIETER PANGBORNE, *Arrested & Def't.*
On the request of Catharina Hegemans the H'r Schout is ordered to execute the Judgment against Roelof Jansen.
Ephraim Hermans attachment on Mr Payne's Iron work is declared valid and postponed until the next court day. Meanwhile the H'r President Burgomaster shall speak about the matter with the H'r Cornelis Steenwyck.
Henry Newton, Court Messinger appearing in Court represents that John Cooley has not yet furnished, according to the judgment of the Worsh'll Court in date 3d Octob'r last any proof that he hath paid at the South River the demanded sum of one hundred guilders; demands therefore that the said John Cooly may be Ordered to pay it.
Def't remaining *contumax* and producing no evidence, pursuant to said judgment is ordered to pay it.

At a Court of Schout, Burgomasters and Schepens holden in the City Hall, the 17th Jan'y A. D. 1674.

Present.....
- Capt. Knyf. on behalf of the Hr. Governor. presiding.
- Anthony DeMill..... *Schout.*
- Johannes De Peyster, Johannes Van Burgh, Ægidius Luyck, *Burgomasters.*
- Willem Beeckman, Jeronimus Ebbing, Jacob Kipp, Laurens Van der Spiegell, Guilaine Verplanck, *Schepens.*

ABELL HARDENBROECK *Arrestant & Pl't*
ag'st
PIETER JANSEN SCHOLL, *Arrested & Deft.*
Jonathan Provoost, deft's bail, 2d. default.
Pl't demands according to obligation the sum of fl. 214, deducting for two hogs..76

Remains 138.

GABRIELL TRINVIELLE, *Pl't*
ag'st
JUFFROW ELIZABETH DE POTTER, widow of the late Isacy Bedloo, *Def't.*

Deft's 1 default.

The Hr. Schout A. DE MILL, *Pl't*
ag'st
ANTHONY JANSEN SALL, *Def't*

Pl't says that the Def't sold 4 *neutsjens* of drink to the Indian who was lately shot dead by the sentry and as he is the cause of the consequent accident etc.

Deft's wife appears and denies that she gave any drink to the Indian and offers to confirm the same by oath.

The W. Court dismiss Pl't complaint unless he can prove his statement.

DAVID DE FOUR, *Pl't.*
ag'st
ROELOFF JANSEN, Butcher, *Def't.*

Def't 1 default.

JACOBUS FABRITIUS, *Pl't.*
ag'st
MARY DROOGHSTAET, *Def't.*

Pl't demands in writing that the Def't may be ordered to depart out of his house as she and her husband gave up the lease of it on the 30th August.

Def't denies that she gave up the lease, but that she said if we go live in the Fort then we shall give up the lease.

The W. Court having heard the arguments of parties, order Pl't to give fuller proof of his assertion, and meanwhile the lease to stand good.

HENDREK GILLESSEN, *Pl't.*
ag'st
ABELL HARDENBROECK, *Def't.*

Pl't default.

ANNETTIE FABRITIUS, *Pl't.*
ag'st
JACOBUS FABRITIUS, *Def't.*

Def't demands postponement until the next court day as he had not Plt's declaration long enough.

Pl't, through her attorney, Allard Anthony, demands that the Def't may be ordered to give her up the room in the house.

Burgomasters and Schepens decreed that Magister Jacobus Fabritius shall provisionally remain in the chamber until the case in question be disposed of; and he was allowed also time until the next court day to prepare his answer.

WILLEM VAN VREDENBURGH, *Pl't.*
ag'st
JACOB SPANJARD, *Def't.*

Parties both default.

The Heer Schout, ANTHONY DE MILT, *Pl't.*
ag'st
JAN HENDRIEKZEN VAN GUNST, *Def't.*

Pl't produces certain judgment pronounced by this W. Court on 3d Oct'r last for the sum of fl. 100. Requests that the Def't may again be ordered to pay said judgment with costs. As he refused to fulfil it; the W. Court orders that the Def't shall satisfy the Schout within 48 hours, or in case of refusal go to jail without delay.

RALPH HUDSISON, *Pl't.*
ag'st
LOURENS COOLVEL, *Def't.*

Def't 1 default.

The Hr. Schout, ANTHONY DE MILT, *Pl't.*
ag'st
FFRANCIS MISERTY, *Def't.*

Pl't says that on the 14th January, being Sunday morning, he found during preaching three persons sitting drinking in Deft's house, being a tapster; concluding therefore that the Def't shall be condemned according to placard in a fine of fl. 25 and costs.

Def't says he sold no drink to said persons, but that they brought the drink to his house and so drank.

The W. Court having heard the Deft's excuse condemn him to pay the Pl't the fixed fine of fl. 25, with costs.

The Hr. Schout, A. DE MILT, *Pl't.*
ag'st
MARY HOFFMYERS, *Def't.*

Pl't says that the Def't had a difficulty in her house on the 12th December last with one Mary Feex and cut a hole in her head with a stick and tore said Mary Feex's hood and shawl in pieces Plaintiff concludes therefore that the Def't shall be condemned according to placard in a fine of fl. 100, with restoration of the torn property and the Surgeon's wages and costs.

Def't says she was first struck by Mary Feex and abused by her and thus forced to drive her out the house.

The W. Court condem- the Def't in a fine of fl. 15, for the Hr. Schout besides paying the Surgeon's fee and the costs.

JACOB TEUNISEN DE KAY, *Pl't.*
ag'st
CORNELIUS VAN BORSUM, *Def't.*

Pl't complains an says that Def't and his wife have at divers times seriously threatened him Pl't to deprive him of his eyes and sight, which he the Def't also endeavored to effect on the 16th Xbr. last throwing him Pl't down to the ground on the exchange and wounding him in his eyes as appears by divers declarations produced in court; requests to know why the Def't demands copy of Plt's demand and complaint, which is granted and allowed him by the W. Court.

Poulus Van Der Beeck, *Pl't.*
ag'st
George Cobbett, *Def't.*

Pl't by his wife demands from Def't as per a'c the sum of gl. 26.18 being for board, drink and ferry-money delivered to Deft's wife's previous husband.

Deft's wife says that the Pl't was accustomed to entertain her husband notwithstanding the Pl't was forbidden to do so ; and says further that she can affirm on oath that when her aforesaid husband came to die he did not leave ten guilders after him to bury him.

The W. Court having heard parties' arguments condemn the Def't to pay the Pl't the aforesaid debt as she Def't remained in possession of her preceeding husband's Estate, on condition that the Pl't is willing to verify his rendered a'c by oath.

Ralph Huthinson, *Pl't.*
ag'st
Jan Hendrickzen Van Gunst, *Def't.*

Pl't says he bought a certain quantity of cotton-wool from one Lourens Gontsalis late a soldier in Fort Willem Hendrick, shortly before he ran away, which he Pl't allowed to remain in said Gontsalis' house to dry, meanwhile the above named Gontsalis having run away the cotton was appropriated by the Def't demands therefore that the Pl't be ordered to restore said cotton again to him the Pl't.

Def't says that the above named Lou. Gontsalis is indebted to him for rent for which he appropriated the cotton and maintains that the cotton does not belong to the Pl't.

The W. Court having heard parties' arguments and seen their proofs, order defendant to Deliver up the said cotton to the Pl't.

Phillip Johns, *Pl't.*
ag'st
Dirck Smiths, *Deft.*

The W. Court having heard Plt's demands and Deft's answer together with the depositions and evidence brought in on both sides, Orders, as it appears that parties scolded on both sides, that they should again acknowledge each other for honest people before this court and that neither party shall in the least hereafter affront in any way molest the other on account of this matter.

The Hr. Schout, Anth. De Milt, *Pl't.*
ag'st
Dirck Jansen Van Deventer, *Deft.*

The Hr. Pl't represents that the Def't on the 30th October last ill treated and affronted the Lieutenant Carell Quirynsen as appears by the produced accusation of sd. Hr. Luytenant and Gubiell Minvielle. Concluding therefore that the Def't having committed a serious offence ought to be banished beyond this Citys Jurisdiction or be otherwise punished as he deserves.

Def't protests his innocence saying he does not know that he spoke any ill to said Luytenant as he does not even yet know him, demands therefore that the accusers, by whom according to their own acknowledgement, he was first struck, may prove their delivered accusations by other indifferent persons, further producing again three depositions which testify that he, Def't was first struck by Mary Hayes, afterwards by Gabriell Minvielle, so that he fell to the ground, and finally by the Hr. Lieutenant Quiryse, without returning a blow.

The W. Court decree that whilst it is not made to appear by any legal declarations or evidence that the person of Dirck Smith hath scolded or struck Phillip Johns' wife, Gabriell Minvielle or the Hr. Lieutenant Q irynse except by those who themselves ill treated and beat the above named Dirck Smith in an unbecoming manner contrary to Burghers' privileges so that fell to the earth, according to the depositions produced; the Plt's demand is therefore dismissed until he shall have produced further evidence.

At Jan Cooly's request Messrs Jacob Leyslaer and Dirck Van Cliff are authorized to examine the books and papers of the fortifications of the Fort lately called James, which now remain in the hands of Lieut Ffrancois Rombouts, and to render a report of their award at the next court day

Allard Anthony appears at the Secretary's office of this city and declares in the name & on the behalf of the Hr. Lieutenant Quirynsen that he appeals from the judgment dated 17th of this instant pronounced the Worsh'll Burgomasters and Schepens between the Hr. Scout Anthony De Milt Pl't ag'st Dirck Jansen Van Deventer, Def't and declares he will carry said case before the Heer Governor and Supreme Council. Done N. Orange, the 19th January 1674.

At a Court holden in the City Hall of this city N. Orange on the 30th January, A. D. 1674.

Present.....
- Capt Knyff on behalf of the Hr. Governd,
- Anthony De Mill..... *Schout.*
- Johannes De Peyster, } *Burgomasters.*
- Johannes Van Brugh, }
- Ægidius Luyck, }
- Willem Beeckman, } *Schepens.*
- Jeronimus Ebbingh, }
- Jacob Kipp, }
- Lourens Van der Speigill, }
- Guilaine Ver Planck, }

Anneutie Flabutius, *Pl't ag'si* Jacob Flabritius, *Def't*

Pl't demands an answer to her previously presented petition, according to the last order.

Def't delivers in certain petition in which he requests that an advocate may be allowed him, as he does not understand the Dutch terms made use of in said petition.

Pl't requests that the Def't may be ordered to vacate her house.

Ordered—That this be entered as a default against the Def't, and that the def't shall finally answer within Eight days from next Court day or in case of further delay judgment shall be pronounced.

Gabiell Minvielle, *Pl't, ag'st* Guffrow Elizabeth Bedloo, *Def't*

Ordered, on Plt's request that copy of Deft's answer and acct. be delivered to the Pl't.

DAVID DE FOUR, *Pl't*,
ag'st
ROELOFF JANSEN, Butcher, *Def't*.

Pl't demands from Def't the sum of fl 200. for an ox sold about two years ago to the Deft. and offers to deliver to Deft. a certain cow which he bartered with Deft. whenever he is paid.

Deft. says that the Pl't did not deliver him the cow according to agreement, notwithstanding he sent his children for her divers times.

The W. Court having heard the arguments of Parties on both sides, decree and order that the Deft. shall pay the Pl't the demanded sum of fl. 200, within 8 days time, provided the cow be first delivered to the Pl't at the time the same is paid, and that said cow shall meanwhile run at Deft's risk.

JACOBUS FABRITIUS, *Pl't*,
ag'st
MARY DROOGSTRAET, *Def't*.

Pl't demands in writing that Def't be ordered to leave his house as Deft. and her husband both gave up the lease last August, also that his witnesses may be ordered to appear in Court to give evidence to the truth, as the said witnesses were now twice summoned and have not yet appeared.

Deft denies that she or her husband gave up the lease.

The W. Court having heard the arguments of parties and the above mentioned evidence, dismiss the Plt's demand.

ABELL HARDENBROECK arrester & *Pl't*,
ag'st
PIETER GANSEN SCHALL, arrested & *Def't*.

P'lt demands from the def't the sum of fl. 138. ballance of an obligation; requests condemnation.

Deft's bail, Jonathan Provoost admits the debt, but says that the Def't is prevented by the badness of the weather from sending the payment hither.

The W. Court condemns the Def't or his said bail to satisfy and pay the Pl't the demanded sum of fl. 138.

JAN HENDRICKZEN VAN GUNST, *Arrester & Pl't*,
ag'st
ROBBERD HOLLIS, *Arrested & Def't*

P'lt demands from the Def't according to certain agreement the sum of fl. 192 and 20 gl. also costs. demanded condemnation.

Def't admits the debt and says he gave Pl't an assignment on Direk Storm for it.

The W. Court condemns the Deft's to pay Pl't the sum demanded; meanwhile the attachment is declared valid.

The Hr.Schout ANTH DE MILL, *Pl't*.
ag'st
JACOB SMITH, Turner, *De'ft*.

Pl't says that the deft. made trouble at night between the 16th & 17th inst. at the house of Francis Leigh, whereupon he was brought to the City Hall by the Watch where he committed divers improper acts according to several depositions; concludes that the Deft. be therefore committed to

prison, to be conveyed thence to the place where Justice is usually executed there to be fiexed to a stake and severely scourged as an example to others, and be further for ever banished from this city's jurisdiction, paying the costs and expences of justice herein incurred.

Def't denies it and says he knows nothing of it ; as he was overcome by drink ; prays forgiveness and promises to behave better.

The W. Court condemns the Deft. in a fine of fl.50. for the Hr. officer, and that Deft. shall be imprisoned two days on his discharge from which he shall pray the forgiveness of this W. Court, and pay the costs herein incurred.

The Fire Wardens deliver in certain writing representing the number of fire buckets and other fire implements found by them to be provided ; requesting that this Court will be pleased to order that such fire hooks and ladders as are necessary may be made.

Allard Anthony is ordered to cause Robberd Coe to be notified to appear on the next Court day, on pain of Judgment being pronounced on his default.

On the petition of Jacob Hendrickz Vanevange apostilled—That the Petitioner shall deliver copy to the Hr. Steenwyck to answer thereunto, and to see if he will do so.

Pursuant to the order of the last Court day, Messrs. Jacob Leyselear and Direk Van Cliff deliver their report and award into Court, from which they cannot see that Thomas Lovelace owes any thing, etc.

Ordered, that John Cooley shall render further proof that Thomas Lovelace has received any effects.

On Jacobus, etc. Haert's petition. Ordered, that execution shall issue in the action of himself against P. Jansen Werckendam, dated 14th Ober. last, and the Hr. officer is required to execute the same.

The Hr. Schout, A. de Mill, requests that he may proceed with execution againt Jacob Abrahamsen as principal bail of Abell Hardenbroeck, as said Jacob Abrahamsen will not pay without execution.

Whereupon. said Jacob Abrahamsen appearing in Court, persists still therein, Wherefore the Hr. officer is allowed to proceed with execution against said bail.

Schout, Burgomaster and Schepens being assembled collegialiter have caused the person of Jacob Smith to be called in, and the judgment of this W. Court pronounced, in date 30th January last, being communicated, he besought forgiveness of his committed fault, and is after reproof, discharged from imprisonment on fulfilling said sentence.

At a Court of the President, Capt'n Knyff, with the W. Schout Burgomasters and Schepens, holden at the City Hall on the 6th Feb'y A. D., 1674.

The Court all complete.

GABRIEL MINVIELLE, *Pl't.*
ag'st
JUFFROUW BEDLOO, *Def't.*

Pl't demands payment in writing, saying he never released Mr. Bedloo.

Def't by her attorney says, that the pl't sold the goods to Thomas Lovelace alone, and that the goods were afterwards placed by Laval in Isaac Bedloo's hands as factor, and for the Hr. Governour Lovelace's ac., and that Sieur Bedloo executed the bill of exchange as Lovelace's factor.

Pl't says that Bedloo's books are false and fraudulent, and that many leaves are palbably torn out ; undertakes to prove it. Further says that he

sold the goods to Thomas de Laval & Isaacq Bedloo and that Bedloo afterwards assumed the Whole and passed the Bill ; produces also the protested exchange etc., persists in his previous demand.

VOTES.

Capt'n Knyff maintains that the Def't shall pay according to the bill of exchange.

Burgomaster de Peyster, that copy of the pieces last given in shall be delivered to parties, and that def't shall rejoin thereunto at the next Court day : also that the Def't shall be at liberty to extract from Governor Lovelace's books copy of some pieces which she may consider necessary for further explanation and illustration of her duplicty. (Rejoinder.)

The remaining Magistrates, the Schout, Burgomasters and Schepens agree in opinion with Burgomaster de Peyster.

CLAES JANSEN, Butcher, *Pl't.*
ag'st.
ABEL HARDENBROECK, *Def't.*

Def't 2d default.

Pl't demands one parcel of Kersey or woolen Clothes, 6 cravats, 1 pair of stockings and a Leather apron as Shoemakers, balance of certain contract produced in Court ; the contract dated 7th January A. D. 1670.

JAN BUYTENBURYS and ANDRIES ANDIESON, *Pl'ts.*
agst
SORIS SANZEN VAN HOOREN, *Deft.*

Pl'ts say the hired def't a certain Canoe and that the def't was also bound to repair the Canoe at his cost, and that the Def't allowed the Canoe to go adrift at his wharf so that they were obliged to disburse the sum of fl. 36, in divers materials ; request that def't may be ordered to restore the same to them.

Def't says he was not obliged to furnish the materials thereto but to pay carpenters wages

The W. Court having seen the evidence dismiss the pl'ts demand condemn them in the costs.

TEUNIS KRAY, *Pl't.*
ag'st
ALLARD ANTHONY, *Def't.*

Def't 1 default.

JONASS BARTELSEN, *Pl't*
ag'st.
LOEDENYCK POS, *Def't.*

Def't 1 default.

JACOB TETNISS KAY, *Pl't.*
ag'st.
CORNELIS VAN BORSUM, *Def't.*

On Pl'ts request 'tis ordered that he be delivered copy of df'ts papers.

DERICK VAN CLYFF, *Pl't.*
ag'st
ALLARD ANTHONEY, *Df't.*

Def't 2d default.

JAN BUYTENBUYS, *Pl't.* *ag'st* ALLARD ANTHONY, *Def't.*

Def't 1 default.

WILLEMTJE VAN LEYDEN, *Pl't.* *ag'st.* ALBERT AERIESSEN, *Def't.*

Def't 2d default.

Pl't demands 30 English shillings for a beast sold him by her husband.

ANNA FABRICIUS, *Pl't.* *ag'st.* JACOB FABRITIUS, *Def't.*

Def't delivers his answer through Jochem Beeckman.

Pl't demands copy of papers.

Copy ordered to be delivered.

On the Hr. Cornelis Steenwyck's petition—Apostilled—that copy be furnished Mr. Jacob Varrevanger.

Jan Cooly appears in Court, request delay until the next session of the court to bring in his proofs in the case between him and Thomas Lovelace.

Time is allowed him until the next Court day.

Thomas Walton appears in Court, produces certain judgment pronounced by the W. Court in date last, against Roelof Janse, butcher requests, as he resides on Staten Island that the Hr. Schout shall cause said sentence to be notified to said Roelof Jansen and be put in execution

Whereas divers complaints are made from time to time that several Carters refuse and are unwilling to ride timber, stone and other materials for the City and public service, It is therefore this day resolved and concluded that on their first refusal or exhibition of unwillingness, their horses shall be immediately untackled, and they be deprived of their places as carters.

Pursuant to certain order and apostille issued by the Honble. Hr. Governor, in date 1st Feby. last on certain petition presented by this W. Court. in date 16th Jan'y last to his honor, relative to the furnishing some monies for the payment of the expences of fortifying this city, the W. Burgomasters & Schepens of this city N. Orange have commissioned and qualified from this Court, which they hereby do, the Hr. President, Burgomasters Johannes de Peyster & Schepen Wm. Beeckman to help to make out with the commissioners on the part of the Supreme government and Commonality, a certain general assessment enacted by the Honble. Hr. Governor, and put the same into execution according to his Honors order.

10th Febry. Burgomasters and Schepens being assembled Collegialter in the City Hall have resolved to send the following letter to the Villages Midwout, Breukelen and Amesfort on Long Island.

GOOD FRIENDS,

We have waited until now to exhort your Hnrs. to fulfill your engagement and promise to furnish and collect for us some monies for the use of the City; but whereas we are now sorely in want of some monies to pay divers expences incurred in fortifying the City, And the season of the year being now equally favorable to the bringing corn hither, we therefore hereby recommend and request you particularly to assist us with and send the monies demanded by the earliest opportunity according to your Honrs. engagement. Which expecting We remain &c.

At a Court of the Heeren Schout, Burgomasters and Schepens holden at the City Hall of the City N: Orange, on the 13th Febry A. D. 1674.

Present.....
- Capt. Wm Knyff on behalf of the Hr. Governor.
- A. De Mill.....*Schout.*
- Johannis de Peyster, Ægidius Luyck, } *Burgomasters.*
- Willem Beeckman, Jeronimus Ebbingh, Jacob Kipp, Lourens Vander Spiegell, Guilian Verplanck, } *Schepens.*

Gabriel Minvielle, *Pl't*, *ag'st* Suffrow Elizabeth de Potter, widow of J. Bedloo, *Def't.*

Def't rejoins in writing.

Pl't demands payment of his exchange according to previous demand.

Ordered that parties shall produce all their papers and pieces on the next court day which have reference to the principal & draw their deduction.

Jacob Hendrickz Varrevanger, *Pl't* *ag'st* The Hr. Cornelis Steenwyck, *Deft.*

Pl't as agent of Poulus Leendersen Vande Gust, demands and requires by his att'y Allard Anthony, as before.

Def't answers and declares

1. That the Pl't hath removed the fence of the passage in question.

2. The Def't declares the demand frivolous and that the Plt's demand may be dismissed : as all the ground from Mr. Jacob's fence to Mr. Hans Keirstede's corner belongs to the Def't—at the time the Deft. built the fence stood one foot more easterly from P. Leendersen and the Deft. then left the passage claimed at that time as a passage for his house. The Deft. therefore concludes that the Pl't shall be ordered to take up his fence to the back side of his house to be placed according to direction of the judgment with costs.

The Deft. herein being Pl't in reconvention built his house on the ground of Pieter Cornelissen & Roelof de Haes, both then belonging to the def't. as well as on the ground behind Mr. Hanse Kieistede, also a little bit of ground granted by Governor Stuyvesant & Council.

In proof of his statement he says—

1. That the ground brief of Pieter Cornelissen next to Poulus Leendersen is great on the south side one rod seven feet three inches Rhineland measure, the same behind; it was obtained on the 8th Seber. 1644, long before the erection of P. Leendersen's house.

2. Roelof Jansen's ground brief obtained May 11th 1646, is on the south side one Rod seven feet, Rhineland measure, wide, the same on the north side.

3. Mr. Hans Rierstede's ground brief is on the south side one rod, 5 feet 8 inches wide, and one rod 8 feet wide on the north side.

4. Four feet of a lot additional on both sides obtained from Governor Stuyvesant A. D. 1656, Ober. 25th.

Def't requests that Commissioners may be appointed with a land surveyor to examine the ground.

Pl't produces certain ground brief from the Hr. Stuyvesant dated A. D. 1649, July 19, granting to Paulus Leendersen a lot of 24 feet wide and 107 feet long, claiming this to be proof regarding the passage in dispute.

The W. Court appointed as Commissioners Francois Rombouts & Jacob Leyselaer who with the Land Surveyor Jacques Courtelyoaw are qualified and requested to measure the ground, examine the Ground briefs, and to reconcile parties if posssble, Otherwise to report to the Court.

JAMES MATTHEWS, *Arrestant & Pl't ag'st*
DANIEL TEURNEUR, *Arrested & Def't.*

Pl't demands from Def't according to acct. the sum of fl. 304: 2 request that certain attachment be declared valid which he issued against Deft's effects in Jacob Leyselaer's hands.

Whereas Def't is absent and has no information of the attachment and could not, The W. Court declares the attachment invalid.

EVERD WESSELS, *Pl't ag'st*
JAMES MATHEWS, *Def't*

Pl't demands restitution of an obligation executed by him Pl't for Keynier Van der Cooley pursuant to a previous judgment of the Mayor's Court.

Ordered that the defendant shall return the obligation to the P'lt or a lawful acquittance as the Pl't hath proved that he already paid said obligation and was equally discharged by the Mayor's Court before which he tried the case.

Abel Hardenbroeck appearing requests that Allard Anthony may be again ordered to produce, according to the last order.

Ordered that the said Allard Anthony shall perform the same on the next Court day, on pain of Judgment being pronounced against him in case of farther delay.

Tuesday 20th Feb'y in the afternoon, Schout Burgomasters and Schepens being assembled Collegialiter at the City Hall.

Isaack Kipp delivering into Court certain Petition wherein he requests that he may have the office and benefice of Stamper of this city promising so to demean himself in said office as to give satisfaction to this W. Court and the Inhabitants.

The W. Heeren Schout Burgomasters & Schephens having taken the above named petition into consideration, the petitioner's request is allowed on condition that he demean himself therein so that no complaints be made against him, And further regulating himself conformably to the Instruction which shall be given to him to that effect.

Resolved further to give notice for the contracting next Thursday for some hundred palisades for the fortification of this City, and from the bench are appointed the Hr. Schout, Schepens Jacob Kip and Guilian Verplanck to enter into the said contract on Thursday next.

Whereas question has arisen between Mr. Jacob Varrevanger Pl't ag'st the Hr. Cornelis Steenwyck Deft. relative to a certain passage lying between the house and lot of said Hr. Steenwyck & Mr Jacob abovementioned, the Heeren Schout, Burgomasters and Schepens have resolved with

consent of parties to refer the said matter in question to indifferent persons and to this end have appointed Francoys Rombouts and & Jacob Leyslaer, with the sworn Land Surveyor Jacques Corteljouw to measure over the ground and lots of parties, to examine their respective ground briefs and other proofs, Also to hear the arguments on both sides, if possible to reconcile parties, or otherwise to render to the Court report of their award & arbitration.

This date also is the following order sent by the W. Court to Jacques Corteljouw the sworn Land Surveyor.

Whereas, difference hath arissen between Jacob Hendrickz Varrevanger and the Hr. Cornelis Steenwyck which cannot be well settled without a proper Land Surveyor to measure the lots in question, Therefore the sworn Land Measurer Jacques Corteljouw of this City N : Orange is required and requested to transport himself hither with his Instruments on Fryday next, being the 23d Inst. or earlier to perform what is aforesaid. Done New Orange the 20th Feb'y. A. D. 1674.

JACOB LEYSLAER, *Pl't*
ag'st
GABRIELL MINVIELLE, *Def't.*

Pl't demands from Deft. the dead freight of 5 hhds of Tobacco which he, through Mr. Moll in Maryland, had agreed to ship in Pieter Van Essain's Ketch which was not done.

Def't produces certain letter of Mr. Moll who had offered to ship 6 or 8 hhds, but that the skipper said that he had no positive order thereunto; proving further by his and the Plt's copy book of letters, that the writing and agreement about it was only conditional.

The W. Court having heard and seen parties arguments and proofs cannot perceive that the Deft. owes dead freight. Plt's demand is therefor dismist.

ADRIAEN VAN LAER, *Pl't.*
ag'st
HENDRICK GILLISEN, *Def't.*

Pl't demands from def't 4 pairs of shoes according to handwriting.

Def't admits the debt and says he offered him the shoes.

The W. Court condemns the Def't to deliver middling shoes to the Pl't, and pay the costs incurred herein.

The Stamp Master appearing requests to know if he is also to stamp the Milk Measures, as several persons have been with him about it.

The W. Court decree that the Milk Measures shall also be stamped, and that the Stamper shall receive 3 stiv. a piece for stamping.

On Mr. Jacob Varrevanger's and the H'r Steenwycks request, the Secretary is ordered to send directions to Jacques Corteljouw in the name of the W. Court that he Corteljouw shall forthwith send his report hither.

Resolved, to present a petition to the H'r Governor that no vessels nor persons shall leave this city as it now open water.

Nota.—As the time is too short the 3 Burgomasters are appointed to confer with the H'r Governor regarding the above.

Elias Puddington appearing in Court produces certain Judgment against Tho. Williams ; requests that the H'r Schout may be ordered to levy Execution on said Judgment, etc.

The W. Court having seen the notice served orders the H'r Schout to put said Judgment into execution.

On the petition of Matthys and Jacobus de Haert representing in substance that they, as heirs of the Estate left by their deceased brother Balth'r de Haert, may be authorized with the curators appointed to proceed in law against every one may make pretensions against said Estate—Shewing that such was also the request of the said guardian, etc.

APOSTILLED.

Whenever the curators and administrators of the said Balth'r de Haert's estate shall make the same request of this court the petitioners request shall be taken into further consideration.

Mary Mathews appearing in Court requests that, pursuant to certain judgment obtained against Hendrick Volckersen on the last court day, she may arrest him until he shall have paid her according to said judgment.

The W. Court allows her to arrest said Volkersen.

Gabriel Minviell appearing in Court requests that the H'r Schout may be ordered to put in execution the Judgment lately obtained by him against Juffrow Elizabeth Potter.

The W. Court having seen the notice served, allow the Petitioner his request and order the Heer Schout to put said Judgment into execution.

Barentje Jans, *Pl't.*
ag'st
Thomas Taylor, *Def't.*

Pl't demands the sum of fl. 45 in wheat for freight which her son earned from Pl^{t}; requests payment.

Def't remaining contumacious in not appearing on the third Court day is condemned for his default to pay the Pl't the fl. 45 demanded in wheat, with Costs.

The H'r Schout, *Pl't.*
ag'st
Justus Witfield, *Def't.*

Pl't represents that the Def't beat without cause the Person of Pieter de Riemer and pulled the hair out his head; concludes that the Def't shall be condemned in a fine at the discretion of the Judge.

The W. Court having heard the acknowledgment and excuse of the Def't condemn the def't in a fine of fl. 25, with costs, and order the Def't to leave the said Pieter de Riemer henceforth unmolested.

Schout, Burgomasters & Schepens being assembled *Collegialter* in the City Hall of the City N. Orange on the 10th March Ao. 1674, having sent for the Skippers and Barquiers of this City, and these appearing, they are informed of the order of the Right Hon'ble Governor General that no more than two sloops go at once to Willemstadt and Esopus and one to the South River and that alternately according as it shall be determined by lot; also that they, the Skippers, shall not convey any passengers hence without passport.

Whereupon said Skippers answered as follows:—

Skipper Kip answers that he thinks it better that whenever the Sloops depart in their turn by lot according to the H'r Governor's Order, what they then earn shall be put in a common fund, and every one shall then draw his share out according to the size of his sloop.

Ffrederick Hendrickz and his partner Dirck Francen agree with the above opinion of Skip'r Kip.

Hendrick Vande Water the same advice as above.

Claes Jock, the same as above.

Abraham Jan Carpenter, agrees with the above opinions.

Jan Schouten answers that the small Sloops Ought to be allowed to make one voyage for one of the big ones.

Thomas Lewis is satisfied with whatever the H'r Governor and Council decree.

Jan Jansen Mol, agrees with the majority.

Dirck Smith requests that whoever is ready first may make a trip.

Abraham Lubbertsen, the same opinion as Skipper Kip, above.

Jacob Vande Water, agrees with the majority.

Jan Joosten & Luycas, that the first ready may make a trip ; if not, that they are content according as the H'r Governor concludes and determines.

The Heeren Schout, Burgomasters and Schepens of this City N. Orange having presented to the Hon'ble H'r Governor General the answer of the Skipper and Barcquiers of this City regarding the Sailing alternately according to his Hon'rs last order, His Hono'r hath resolved and Ordered that said Skippers and Barcquiers shall according to the majority of their opinions, sail in a common stock from which common fund each of them shall earn and draw out his share according to the size and proportion of his vessel at the end of the aforesaid alternating time ; and said Skippers and Barcquiers shall in Sailing regulate themselves according to the Hon'ble H'r Governo'rs Generals order made herein.

Done in the City Hall of the City N : Orange on the 15th March Ao. 1674.

THE HR. SCHOUT DE MILT, *Pl't.*
ags't
JANNETTIE DE KLEUSE, *Def't.*

Pl't says that the Def't dipped a child of reformed parents on the 18th of April last, when the father was from home, which is a thing that can never be tolerated by those of the reformed religion ;—

Concludes therefore that the Def't shall be imprisoned and moreover be condemned in a fine of one hundred guilders zewant, with costs.

Def't admits she dipped the child thro' simplicity, requests forgiveness if she did wrong.

The W. Court having considered the matter and likewise weighed the evil consequences and other inconveniences which might result and arise therefrom, condemn the Def't for her profanation and disrespect of the Holy Sacrament of Baptism, that she the Def't shall be imprisoned and remain there until further order.

THE HR. SCHOUT DE MILT, *Pl't.*
ANTHONY JANSEN SALE, *Def't.*
The Hr. Pl't demands in writing.

Deft's wife appears and says that the Quaker was brought at nine o'clock in the evening to her house by Margaret Philips' daughter, who told her at the same time that the Hr. Schout was already notified of said Quaker, etc.

Def't is ordered to prove her statement at the next Court day.

THE HR. SCHOUT, *Pl't.*
ags't
GYSBERT VAN LOON, *Def't.*

The Hr. Pl't complains of the small load which the Def't frequently rides for the Citty ; and that he found him Def't yesterday with one palisade at

one time on his cart; whereby the City is greatly defrauded and cut short; the Hr. Pl't therefore requests that the W. Court shall administer such justice to the Def't that he may be an example to others.

Burgomasters and Schepens having heard the Def'ts excuse and defence condemn the Def't in a fine of twenty-five guilders; and if the Def't attempt to do so again he shall be deprived of his place as Carter.

David de Tour's wife appears in Court, brings evidence that she made no agreement with Adriaen Vincent to deliver the Beavers at 20 gl. in payment of the horse.

The W. Court having heard the evidence decree that de Tour can pay Adrian Vincent with Beaver at 24 guilders a piece.

Stephanus Van Cortlandt appears in Court for himself and for the remaining Skippers and Barcquiers; requests to know if Abraham Lubbertsen's sloop which Jan Schouten and Symon Bacrentsen hired and were with it to Esopus, shall make two trips, to wit: once for Jan Schouten and once for Abram Lubbersten.

The W. Court decree that what Abram Lubbertsen's sloop realised in freight shall come into the common fund, and whenever Abram Lubbertsen's turn comes, not Abram Lubbertsen's but Jan Schouten's sloop shall sail in its place; unless the Barcquiers can otherwise agree amongst themselves.

On the complaint of the Skippers, Christiaen Pietersen is ordered to deliver into the common fund all that the said Christiaen hath already earned and shall yet earn and render a due ac. thereof to the other Skippers, except only the first trip which Christiaen shall have made according to the privilege granted him by the Hr. Governor.

On Jacobus Fabritius petition setting forth that he intended to return to his house to live with his wife etc

APOSTILLED

The W. Court orders the petitioner not to presume to enter the house before and until the suit between him and his wife be terminated.

At a Court of Schout, Burgomasters and Schepens holden at the City Hall of the City N. Orange the 22d May Ad. 1674.

Present.....
- Capt. Willem Knyff on behalf of the Hr. Governor.
- Anthony De Millt.....*Schout.*
- Egidius Luyck, Johannes Van Brugh, Johannes De Peyster, } *Burgomasters.*
- Willem Beeckman, Jeronimus Ebbingh, Jacob Kipp, Lourens Vander Spiegell, Guilaine Verplanck, } *Schepens.*

THOMAS GIBBS *P'lt.*
ag'st
JOHN ARCHER, *Def't.*

Whereas question has arisen between Thomas Gibbs on the one part and John Archer on the other part relative to a matter of ac. Therefore have the W. Heeren Schout, Burgomasters and Schepens deemed it advisable to

nominate and authorize as arbitrators over said matter, as they hereby do nominate and authorize Sieurs Pieter Jacobsen Marius, Direk Vander Cleef, Thomas Lodewycks and John Schackerly, who are hereby required and requested to examine the ac. to hear the arguments and if possible to reconcile parties otherwise to render a report to the Court.

JAN PHILIPZEN RINGO, *Pl't.*
ag'st
MARTIN CREGIER SENIOR, *Def't.*

Pursuant to certain order and judgment of this W. Court dated 24th April last, Pl't offers by the atty Allurd Anthony certain depositions of Hendrick Arcutse to prove thereby that the Pl't went for the mast by consent etc.

The W. Court having examined said depositions and heard the Deft's son, decree that the Plt's depositions cannot be received as sufficient and therefore dismiss his demand & condemn him Pl't in the costs.

ANNETTIE CORNELIS, *Pl't.*
ags't
JACOBUS FFABRITIUS, *Def't.*

Pl't declares in writing.

Def't demands copy to answer on the next Court day to this new action being of a criminal nature.

The W. Court grant Def't copy.

The Hr. Schout adjoins himself in the action with the injured party.

THE HR SCHOUT DE MILT, *Pl't.*
ag'st
ANTHONY JANSEN SALLEE, *Def't.*

Pl't says that in the night between 28th and 29th April the Def't suffered a certain Englishman named Edward Bambri dwelling at Martenaar's neck, to sleep (at his house) which is directly contrary to the placard of the Honble. Hr. Governor General enacted on this subject; therefore concludes the Hr. Pl't that the Def't ought pursuant to the placard be condemned in a fine of fl. 600 with costs.

The W. Court having heard the Hr. Pl'ts demand asked the Def't if she could, pursuant to the order of the last court day, prove that when Margt. Philips' daughter brought the Englishman to her house, that the said daughter stated that the said Englishman was already returned to the Schout, &c.

Def't replies that she hath no other proof than her husband and child.

The W. Court having heard the denial of Margt. Phillips and her said daughter hold the case in deliberation until the next court day, meanwhile their worships shall further examine the placard.

THE HR. SCHOUT DE MILT, *Pl't.*
ag'st
JUSTUS WHITFIELD, *Def't.*

The Hr. Pl't demands according to suit entered in writing for the assault on Peter Groenendyck.

Def't requests copy of the demand and time to bring in his depositions and proofs.

Def't is allowed time until the next court day.

ANTHONY JANSAN SALLE, *Pl't.*
ag'st
MARGRIET PHILLIPS, *Def't.*

Pl't says that the Def'ts daughter brought a certain Englishman to lodge at his house, saying that the Hr. Schout was already notified about him, but such not being the case the Hr Schout now proceeds against him.

Def't denies it and says she never saw the Englishman before, but that he came to her house and requested a night's lodging, whereupon thro' charity she gave him 1 English and 1 Holland shilling and sent him with her daughter to the Plt's to find out where the said Englishman could lodge for money—but never ordered her daughter to say so,

Who being called in denies having told the Pl't so.

The Worshipl. postpone the case until the next Court day.

PIETER GROENENDYCK, *Pl't.*
ag'st
JUSTUS WITFIELD, *Def't.*

Pl't complains and says that notwithstanding orders to the contrary, he was assaulted by the Def't on the same day that justice was executed on the three soldiers on the Flatt near the mill and his clothes torn from his body without he in the least having given the Def't any reason therefor ; Pl't therefore demands that Def't may be ordered to make good to him the torn clothes and moreover be strictly interdicted any more to assault him in a similar manner ; all with costs.

Def't denies having suffered it to be done ; demands copy to answer thereunto at the next court day, which is granted by the W. Court.

JAN DE FFOREEST, *Pl't.*
ag'st
ANNA FEELLE, *Def't.*

Pl't demands from Def't the sum of fl. 170, for curing a negro who met a very bad accident, also for medicine furnished Def't and children ; whereon he acknowledges to have received fl. 56. balance one hundred and fourteen guilders ; demands payment.

Def't admits the debt but says she agreed with the Pl't that he the Pl't should wait until Cousseaw, the negro's master should come.

The W. Court having heard parties arguments condemns the Def't to pay the sum demanded to the Pl't deducting what Def't may have paid thereon.

JAN SHACKERLY, *Pl't.*
ag'st
JAN CORSEN, *Def't.*

Def't one default.

METTIE WESSELS, *Pl't.*
ag'st
ANTHONY DE MILT, *Def't.*

Pl't says that the Def't had yesterday morning used force and violence against her at her own house having opened a door that was closed and took away by force two gutters which she bought and paid for, directly contrary to all laws etc. Therefore Pl't demands respectfully as a widow that she may be protected by your Worships and the Def't be condemned to

bring the gutters back to the place from whence he took them, and pay moreover such fine for the poor as your Worships may deem proper, with costs.

Def't protests against the demand saying that they are his gutters which the Pl't without his knowledge or consent had then taken away from the place he had laid them. Thereupon he took them back with the City Messenger by express orders of the President Burgomaster.

Burgomaster Luyck. Schepens Vander Spiegel & Verplanck with Adolf Pietersen testify that the matter is such as the Hr. Def't hath declared with other circumstances.

Burgomaster Luyck requests that the Pl't shall prove as she declares in her demand, that the Hr. Def't used force and violence toward her.

Ordered that the Pl't shall prove so.

The Attorney Allard Anthony produces in Court all his papers and documents made use of in the action of Annetie Cornelis against her husband Jacobus Fabritius; declareing further that it was all he could bring in; requests therefore that the Magistrates of the court should pronounce sentence hereupon.

Jacobus Fabritius this day did likewise; requesting that judgment may be pronounced thereon.

JAN STEVENSEN, *Pl't.*
ags't
THOMAS TAYLOR, *Def't.*

Def't one default.

DIRCK JANSEN DE GROOT, *Pl't.*
ag'st
HENDRICK BOSCH, *Def't.*

The question of parties being for the outfit of Deft's late shop man Bruyn Hagens etc. the Heeren Schout, Burgomasters and Schepens have thought proper to refer the matter to Jacob Teunissen Kay and Jonas Bartelsen to reconcile parties if possible, or otherwise to report to the court.

On Petition of Ambrose De Weerham he was appointed to and confirmed in the place of Wolphert Webber as carman of this city, the latter having retired.

Extraordinary Court of Schout Burgomasters & Schepens holden at the City Hall of this City N. Orange the 24th May, Ad. 1674.

JAN POPPEN, *Arrestant & Pl't.*
ag'st
BALTHAZAER STUVESAND, *Arrested & Def't.*

Pl't demands that Def't give the Hr. Corns Steenwyck an a'c of a case of candles which the said Hr. Steenwyck had given him Pl't on his last voyage to Caoracas to sell for him there to the best advantage, or if he could not sell them to hand them over to the Def't which he did.

Def't admits having recd. the case of candles from the Plt's hands, with orders to sell the same for the best advantage of the Pl't and to do therewith as if they were his own, and he the Def't so sold said candles and for a part of the proceeds thereof bought a negro for Jan Poppen's a'c and marked the same with Jan Poppen's mark, which negro has since died.

The Pl't admits having given the Def't such order namely that he the Def't should sell the candles to the best advantage and do thereby as if they were his own, etc.

Def't offers to confirm by oath that he bought such negro for that money, and that said negro died ; saying there only remained 11 a 12 guilders and that he bought the negro for 24½ or 24¼ peices of eight.

The W. Court having heard the Debates of parties and taken the matter into serious consideration, decree that as the Def't had a general order from Jan Poppen to sell the candles to the best advantage as if his own and that the Def't according to his statement hath done so, that the loss of the negro shall be for Plt's a'c on condition that the Def't shall if Pl't require it, confirm by oath that he from part of the proceeds of the candles bought the negro and that said negro died; the Pl't is further condemned in the costs accrued herein.

At a Court of Schout, Burgomasters and Schepens (with Capt Willem Knyff Presiding in place of the Hr. Governor) holden at the City Hall of the City N. Orange the 8th June Ad. 1674.

Having considered and read the papers, documents and other proofs produced in Court in the case of Annettie Cornelissen Pl't ag'st Jacobus Fabritius Def't the W. Court decrees and orders that the parties comfort themselves as they ought in order that they win back again each others affection, leaving each other meanwhile unmolested and regarding their Estate and property it is ordered that the promised fl. 1500, shall first and foremost be paid and satisfied to the children of said Annettie Cornelissen by a former marriage for their Patrimony out of the Estate and then the remainder of the estate shall remain in common between them both the debts contracted to date being previously paid therefrom.

At a Court of the W. Heeren Schout Burgomasters and Schepens with Capt Willem Knyf presiding in place of the Hr. Governor, holden at the City Hall of the City of N. Orange the 9th June Ad. 1674.

The Heeren Schout Burgomasters and Schepens having this day seen and examined the produced ground briefs and other evidence together with the Report of the two lately appointed persons respecting certain passage in question between Mr. Jacob Varranger as attorney of Poulus Leendersen v. Greft on the one side, and the Hr. Cornelis Steenwyck on the other side, it was by plurality of votes decreed that, according to the Ground briefs of the aforesaid Poulis Leendesen dated 19th July 1649 and the confirmation of Governr. R. Nicolls dated 25th July 1667 granted to the Hr. Steenwyck ; also according to the last Survey made by the Surveyor Corteljouw, Adolf Pietersen and Gerrit Jansen Roos in presence of the Hrn. Commissioned Schepens Beeckman and Verplanck, the passage in question belongs, according to the above mentioned evidence to the lot of Poulus Leendersen ; therefore the Hr. Steenwycks pretence is dismissed and he is condemned in the costs incurred herein.

The cause of Jacob Teunissen De Kay ag'st Cornelis Van Borsum is on said Kay's petition left undecided as they had mutually agreed to refer it to Arbitrators, but as the Hrn. of the court are now stopt therein, the said Jacob is notified that if they do not now agree they must incur the costs of an Extraordinary court, etc.

The Hr. Schout, De Milt, *Pl't. ag'st.*
Dirck Wesselsen, *Def't.*

Pl't says that a certain Indian brought him some gutters on the 20th May last, which the Hr. Skepen Verplanck had bought for him Pl't but as

it was Sunday, and he would not let them be removed from the canoe before Sundown, the said Indian meanwhile sold the gutters again to the Def't. But the Pl't afterwards agreed with Def't in presence of Burgomaster Luyck, Skepens Vander Spiegel & Verplanck that he the Pl't should have the gutters and the Indian bring back other gutters in three or four days for the Def't or that in default thereof the Plf't should make good the Deft's disbursed monies, and as the gutters are now brought by the Indian, the Def't now refuses to receive them Pl't demands that Def't may take them or assume to himself the damage, with the costs incurred and still to be incurred.

Def't admits that what the Pl't alleges is true but says the gutters are not as good as the first.

The W. Court having heard the Def'ts admission orders him to receive the gutters provided they are as good as the first, or otherwise to settle it by award of arbitrators.

Over the case in question between Jan Turcot Pl't., ag'st Anthony Lepinar Def't., the W. Court nominated and authorized as arbitrators of the said case, Seiurs Gabrielle Minvielle and Paulus Richard who are hereby requested to examine the ac's. of parties and if possible to reconcile them or otherwise to report their award at the next court day.

Over the case in question between Jan Oerrye pl't. ag'st Anthony Lepinar Def't., are in like manner nominated and authorized as arbitrators Siear G: Minvielle and Paulus Richard to reconcile parties or to report to the Court.

Willemtie Van Lyden, *Pl't.*
ag'st.
Alburtus Rings, *Def't.*

Pl't demands from the def't. restitution of a Testament Psalm book which the def't bartered from her for Pons Jansen.

The W. Court having heard deft's answer orders that Pons Jansen shall appear on the next Court day in person to say how it was with the barter of the book etc.

Thomas Gibbe, *Pl't.*
ag'st
John Archerd, *Def't.*

Def't 1 default.

Claes Pietersen, *Pl't.*
ag'st
Pieter Van Brested, *Def't.*

Def't 1 fault.

On petition of Jacob Teunissen de Key representing in substance that he has not as yet terminated with Cornelis Van Borrum although he had with consent of the said Van Borrum referred the case to arbitrators ; requesting therefore that this W. Court would de novo be pleased to appoint a day to pronounce a definitive judgment thereupon etc.

APOSTILLED :

The W. Court shall make it convenient to examine the Witnesses and other Evidence of the parties on next Saturday at two o'clock of the afternoon, when they shall have to repair there.

Burgomaster Luyck reports to the Court that he had some conference with the Hr. Governor, relative to certain petition presented in date 29th

May last to this W. Court by Jan Vinge, Pieter Stoutenburgh, Abram Verplanck, and Luycas Van Tienhoven relative to some land taken for the city's use near the fortifications for which they demand satisfaction etc That the Honble Hr. Governor gave for answer that the persons who had been formerly appointed to appraise the houses, gardens, etc., now should also appraise the lands included and that the Petitioners should he satisfied.

(Copy.)

Whereas Complaints have been made to me that some persons neglect and refuse to pay the Bookekeeper Jacobus Vande Waeter the hundreth penny which pursuant to the assessment made and the consequent publication thereon dated 19 Feb'y & 17 March passed was ordered to be raised by fforme of loan for the payment of the incurred and still to be incurred expenses in the reparation of the fortifications on the Island Manhattan, I have, therefore thought necessary hereby to order and direct the W. Court of this City N : Orange to proceed by immediate execution, without distinction of persons against the negligent or contumacious. Done ffor Willem Hendrik the 12th June A. D., 1674.—Was signed.

A : COLVE.

On the date aforesaid appeared the Hr. Steenwyck at the court of Burgomasters and Schepens and declares to appeal from the Judgment pronounced between him and Mr. Jacob Varrevanger, dated last respecting certain passage in question between them.

At a Court holden in the City Hall the 26th June, A. D. 1673.

Present.....
- Capt. Knyff, presiding on behalf of the Hr. Governd
- Anthony De Mill..... *Schout.*
- Ægidius Luyck, } *Burgomasters.*
- Johannes Van Brugh, }
- Johannes De Peyster, }
- Willem Beeckman, } *Schepens.*
- Jeronimus Ebbingh, }
- Jacob Kipp, }
- Lourens Vander Spiegell, }
- Guilaine Verplanck, }

THOMAS GIBBL, *Pl't.* } *ag'st*
JOHN ARCHERD, *Def't.* }

Pl't demands that Deft. be condemned to pay the costs incurred in the previous suits. Produces also pursuant to the order of the last Court day made by this Court, the award of the last appointed arbitrators respecting said costs, which was of the following tenour ; to wit—that if John Archer as well as Thomas Gibbs had been willing to refer the case to them they should find two-third part of the costs to John Archerd and one-third for Mr. Gibbs.

Defendant remaining contumax to appear on the third Court day, notwithstanding he was legally summoned by the Court Messenger at Harlem and the Schout of fordham, the W. Court decrees and order that John Archerd shall pay two-third parts and Thomas Gibbs one third part of the costs of the foregoing suit ; but regarding the costs incurred in this first for the payment of costs, it is ordered that John Archerd shall pay the whole ; and the two foregoing awards of arbitrators whereof the original *actes* remain with the notary A. Anthony, are hereby approved by the W. Court, and parties are ordered to obey and observe them.

Extraordinary Court of Schout, Burgomasters and Schepens holden at the City Hall of this city N. Orange the 16th June, A. D. 1674.

Present.....
- Capt Willem Knyff on behalf of the Hr. Governd.
- Anthony De Mill.....*Schout.*
- Ægidius Luyck, Johannes De Peyster, } *Burgomasters.*
- Willem Beeckman, Jeronimus Ebbingh, Jacob Kipp, Lour V. Speigill, Guilaine Ver Planck, } *Schepens.*

Burgomasters and Schepens having seen & read the papers documents & depositions produced in the cause between Jacob Teunissen de Key, Pl't, ag'st Cornelis Van Borsum, Def't, also the respective witnesses having had communication again of their depositions who, on the Pl'ts side persist by their declarations but some alteration and doubt has been made by those on Def'ts side—Whereas that of itself appears sufficient that Cornelis Van Borsum was the first fomentor of the quarrel, therefore he is ordered to let the said Jacob Teunissen be henceforth unmolested, Paying the costs of suit incurred on both suites ; and further on the demand and complaint of the Schout made against the guilty party, Cornelis Van Borsum is condemned in the fine and penalty of Fifty guilders in merchantable Beavers at 8 gl. the Beaver to be applied for the benefit of the Schout above named.

Schout Burgomasters and Schepens, with Capt. Willem Knyff, appointed of the Hon'ble Hr. Governor, being assembled Collegialiter at the City Hall being 23d June 1674.

The Hr. President Burgomaster informs the Court of the cause of the meeting which was in consequence of some unwilling persons who refused to pay the Bookkeeper S. Vande Water their quota according to the assessment made for the repair of the City fortifications ; whereupon followed and was handed to this Court the Hr . Governor order to constrain by immediate execution the unwilling to pay ; it was therefore proposed by the President aforesaid to the Court to find a suitable means and expedient to enforce in the best manner the Hr. Governor's said order.

It is resolved on the above by plurality of votes that it shall be to-morrow published from the City Hall that every one who is still in arrears on the asssessment shall pay the same within three times 24 hours on pain, through further delay, of those unwilling being proceeded against by immediate execution ; And the following is also published—

Whereas it is found that notwithstanding the express order and placards affixed by the Hon. Hr. Governor, some of the Inhabitants of this city still refuse and fail to satisfy and pay their Quota according to the assessment made for the payment of the expences incurred in fortifying this city, each and every of said neglectful persons are therefore hereby warned promptly to satisfy and pay the respective orders directed to them by the Book keeper J. Vandewaeter and that within the time of thrice 24 hours, on pain through further delay that the unwilling shall, according to the express order of the Hr. Governor, be proceeded against by immediate execution ; further is every one haveing any unsettled acct. with the city, the scales or

the collector of the excise, ordered to deliver in their acct. within the time aforesaid & come to a settlement on pain of loss thereof. Every one is hereby warned and put on his guard against damage. Done, City Hall 23d June A. D. 1674.

THOMAS DAVIDS, *Pl't.*
ag'st
The CURATORS OF B. DE HALT, *Def'ts.*

Pl't offers the Deft. an assignment of fl. 600, of the Hr. Receiver's M: Bayard: demands that the Deft's. in their aforesaid quality may be ordered to receive it in abatement of a certain obligation of fl. 940, executed by the Pl't in date 9th May, 1671, in favour of dec'd Balthazaer de Haert.

Deft. refuse aforesaid assignment; demand payment according to said obligation, which is zewant or wheat, if they can sell it for zewant.

The W. Court having heard the arguments of parties on both sides, condemns the Pl't to pay according to obligation, and that in wheat on the valuation and statement of Sr. Driek Van der Cleef and Steven Van Cortland who are hereby requested to perform the same according to their best judgment.

At a Court of Schout, Burgomasters and Schepens holden in the City Hall of the City N. Orange, the 17th July, 1674.

Present.....
- Capt. William Knyff
- Anthony De Milt,..... *Schout.*
- Johannis Van Brugh, } *Burgomasters.*
- Ægidius Luyck, }
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- Guilium Ver Planck, }

The Hr. Schout DE MILL, *Pl't.*
ag'st
JACOBUS FFABRITIUS, *Prisoner, Def't.*

The Hr. Pl't says that the defendant, contrary to the order of this Court came by force on the 11th July last into the house of Annettie Cornelis his wife and brought in there a chest against her will and consent; pushed a certain woman named Barentie with her spinning wheel off the road and moreover when he was warned to keep still or that the schout should otherwise have to be brought, he gave for answer, He was tired of the Schout and Burgomasters, and when the Schout came himself with order to remove him the Deft., he resisted the soldiers, pushing him the Pl't on the breast with many other evil acts; The Hr. Pl't therefor demands that the offender shall at least be banished forever out this City's jurisdiction or otherwise punished according to his deserts, as a person unworthy to live in a well regulated Burghery, having committed divers offences against the Laws and ordinances of our Fatherland: with the costs incurred and still to accrue.

Burgomasters and Schepens having heard at length the demand and complaint of the Hr. officer together with the answer and excuse of the prisoner, and having seen and considered the depositions on both sides, condemn

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TRANSLATION.

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And in it go to Amsterdam,
From Amsterdam to Hispanie.
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And likewise those pomegranates named,
Roll through the streets all unreclaimed,
Saint Nicholas, my dear good friend,
To serve you ever was my end ;
If you me now something will give,
Serve you I will long as I live.

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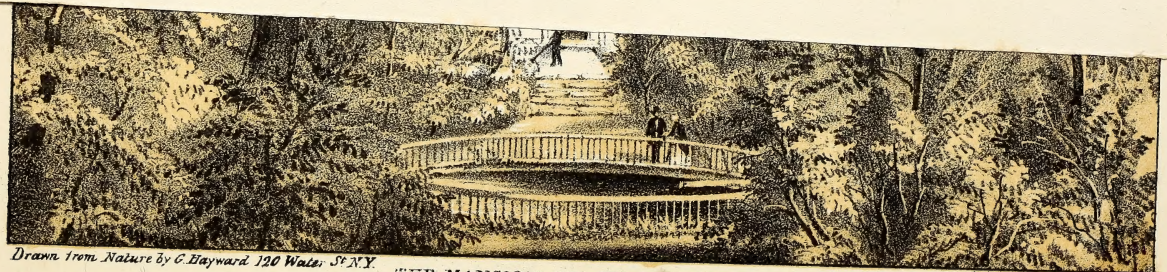

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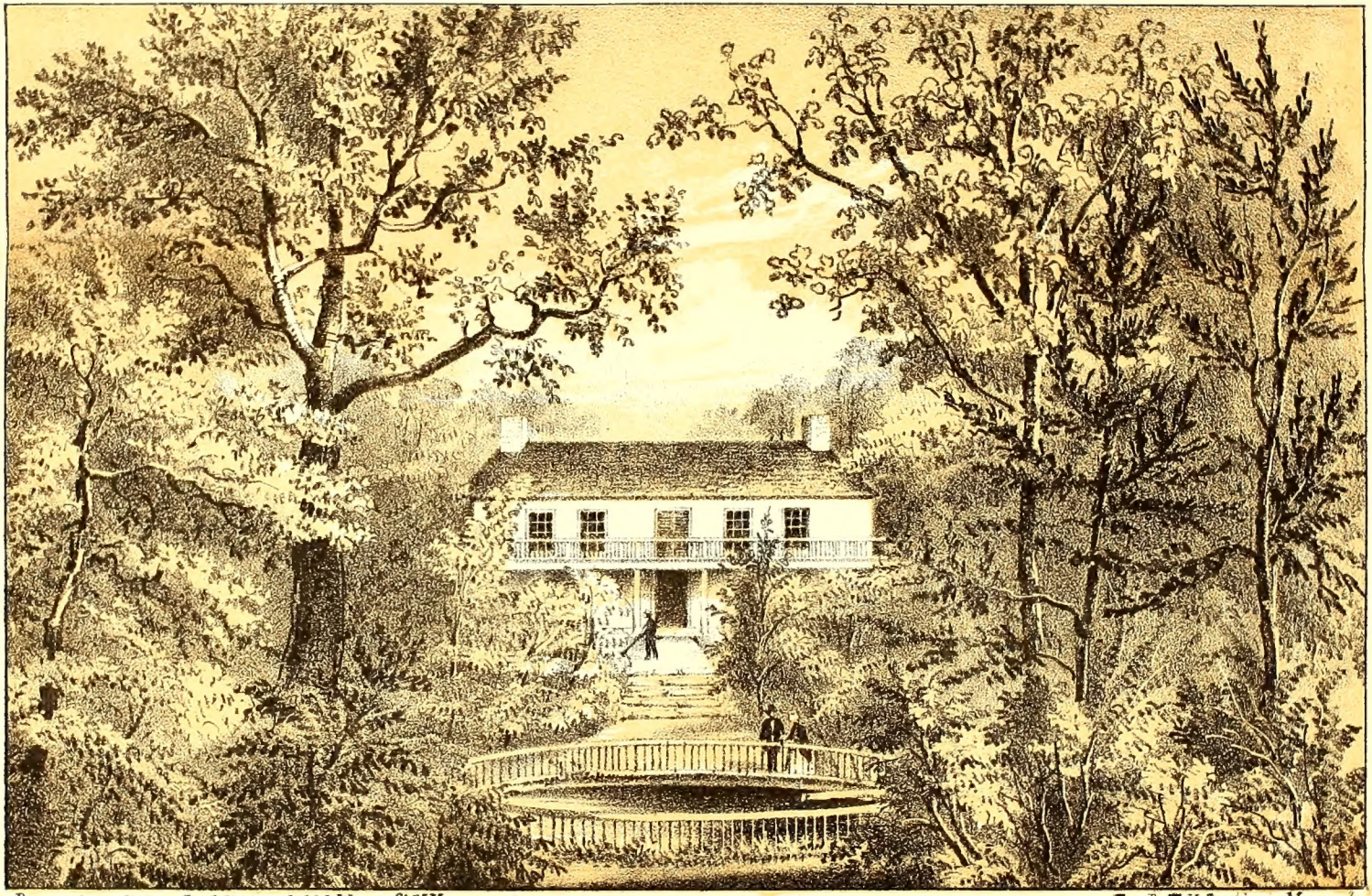

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GOV. NICOLLS' ANSWERS TO THE SEVERAL QUERIES

RELATING TO THE PLANTERS IN THE TERRITORIES OF HIS R. H. S. THE DUKE OF YORKE IN AMERICA.

[London Doc. II.]

1st. The Governour and Councell with the High Sheriffe and the Justices of the Peace in the Court of the General assizes haue the Supreame Power of making, altering, and abolishing any Laws in this Government. The Country Sessions are held by Justices upon the bench, Particular Town Courts by a Constable and Eight Overseers, The City Court of N. Yorke by a Mayor and Aldermen. All causes tried by Juries.

2nd. The Land is naturelly apt to produce Corne & Cattle so that the severall proportions or dividents of Land are alwaies allowed with respect to the numbers of the Planters, what they are able to manage, and in w^t time to accomplish their undertaking, the feed of Cattell is free in commonage to all Towneships, The Lots of Meadow or Corne Ground are peculiar to each Planter.

3rd. The Tenure of lands is derived from his R. H.^s who gives and grants lands to Planters as their freehold forever, they paying the customary rates and duties with others towards the defraying of publique charges. The highes Rent or acknowledgment to his R. H.s will bee one penny *pr* acre for Lands purchased by his R. H.^s, the least two shillings six pence for each hundred acres, whereof the Planters themselves are purchasers from the Indyans.

4. The Governour gives liberty to Planters to find out and buy lands from the Indyans where it pleaseth best the Planters, but the seating of Towns together is necessary in these parts of America, especially upon the Maine Land.

5. Liberty of Conscience is graunted and assured with the same Provisoe exprest in the Queerie.

6. Liberty of ffishing and fowling is free to all by the Patent.

7. All Causes are tried by Juries, no Lawes contrary to the Lawes of England. Souldyers onely are tryable by a Court Marshall, and none others except in cases of suddain invasion, mutiny or rebellion, as his Ma^ties Lieutenants in any of his Countries of England may or ought to exercise.

8th. As to this point there is no taxe, toledge, Impost of Custome payable upon the Planters upon Corne or Cattle: the Country at present hath little other product, the rate for publicke charges was agreed unto in a generall Assembly, and is now managed by the Governour his Councell and the Justices in the Court of Assizes, to that onely behoofe.

9th. The obtaining all thes priviledges is long since recommended to his R. H.^s as the next necessary encouragement to these his Territories, whereof a good answer is expected.

10th. Every man who desires to trade for ffurs at his request hath liberty so to doe.

ANSWERS OF GOV. ANDROS TO ENQUIRIES ABOUT NEW YORK; 1678.

[London, Doc. III.]

Answers to the Inquiries of Plantacons for New Yorke.

1. The Governor is to have a Councell not exceeding tenn, wth whose advice to act for the safety & good of the country, & in every towne, village or parish a Petty Court, and Courts of Sessions in the Severall precincts being three, on Long Island, & Townes of New Yorke, Albany & Esopus, & some smale or poore Islands & out places; and the General court of assizes, composed of the Governor & Councill & all the Justices & magistrates att New Yorke once a yeare, the Petty courts Judge of five pounds, & then may appeale to Sessions, they to twenty pounds & then may appeale to assizes to ye King, al sd courts as by Law.

2. The court of Admiralty hath been by speciall comission or by the Court of Mayor & Aldermen att New Yorke.

3. The cheife Legislative power there is in the Governor with advice of the Councell the executive power Judgemts given by ye courts is in the sheriffs & other civil officers.

4. The law booke in force was made by the Governor & Assembly att Hempsted in 1665 and since confirmed by his Royall Highnesse.

5. The Militia is about 2000 of wch about 140 horse in three troopes the foote formed into companyes, most under 100 men each all indifferently armed with fire-armes of all sizes, ordered & exercised according to Law, and are good fire men, one standing company of Souldiers with gunners & other officers for the fforts of New Yorke & Albany alwayes victualled in October & November for a yeare.

6. Forteresses are James fforte seated upon a point of New Yorke towne between Hudson's River & ye Sound, its a square with stone walls, foure bastions almost regular, and in it 46 gunnes mounted & stores for service accordingly. Albany is a smale long stockadoed forte with foure bastions in it, 12 gunns, sufficient agt Indians, and lately a wooden redout & out worke at Pemaquid wth 7 gunns, s'd Garrisons victualled for a yeare, wth suffts stores.

7. There are no privateers about or Coasts.

8. Our Neighbour westward are Mary land populous and strong, but doe not live in townes, their produce Tobacco, Northwest the Maques &c. Indians ye most warr like in all the Northern Parts of America, their trade beavers & furrs. Northward the ffrench of Canada trade as wee with our Indians; Eastward Connecticut in a good condicon & populous, their produce provisionn of wheate, beefe & porke, some pease, or South bounds the Sea.

9. Wee keepe good Correspondence with all or neighbours as to Civill, legall or judiciall proceedings, but differ with Connecticut for or bounds & mutuall assistance wth they nor Massachusetts will not admit.

10. Our boundaries are South, the Sea, West Delaware; North to ye Lakes or ffrench; East Connecticut river, but most usurped & yett possed by s'd Connecticut some Islands Eastward & a tract beyond Kennebeck River called Pemaquid, &c. New Yorke is in 40d 35m; Albany abt 43d; the Collony is in severall long narrow stripes of wch a greate parte of the settlemt made by adventurers before any regulacon by wch Incroachmts without pattents wch townes have lately taken but by reason of continuall warrs no Survey made & [qu. of the] wildernesse, noe certaine computacon

can be made of the planted and implanted, these last 2 yeares about 20000 acres taken up and patented for particular persons besides Delaware, most of the land taken up except upon Long Island is improued & unlesse the bounds of the Duke's pattent be asserted noe great quantityes att hand undisposed.

11. Our principall places of trade are New Yorke and South'ton except Albany for the Indyans, our buildings most wood, some lately stone & brick, good country houses & stronge of their severall kindes.

12. Wee haue about 24 townes villiages or parishes in Six Precincts, Divisions, Rydeings, or Courts of Sessions.

13. Wee haue severall Rivers, Harbours & Roades, Hudson's River, the chiefest & is ab^{t}. 4 fathom water att coming in butt six, tenn or more within & very good soundings & anchorage either in Hudson's River or in the Sound, toe usuall roade before the towne and moulde.

14. Our produce is land provisions of all sorts as of wheate exported yearly about 60000 bushells, pease, beefe, pork, & some Refuse fish, Tobacco, beavers, peltry or furrs from the Indians, Deale & oake timber, plankes, pipestaues, lumber, horses, & pitch & tarr lately begunn to be made, Comodityes imported are all sorts of English manufactures for Christians & blancketts, Duffells &^{c}. for Indians about 50000^{lb} yearly, Pemaquid afords merchantable ffish and masts.

15. Wee haue noe Experience or skill of Salt Peter to be had in Quantities.

16. Our Merch^{ts} are not many but with inhabitants & planters about 2000, able to beare armes, old inhabitants of the place or of England, Except in & neere New Yorke of Dutch Extraction & some few of all nations, but few Serv^{ts}, much wanted, and but very few slaves.

17. Noe persons whateuer are to come from any place but according to act off Parl^{t} w^{ch} the magistrates and officers of the severall townes or places are to take care of, accordingly the plantacons is these late yeares increased butt noe Genrall acc^{t} hath been taken soe is not knowne how much nor what persons. Some few Slaues are sometimes brought from Barbadoes, most for Provisions and sould att a^{bt} 30^{lb} or 35^{lb} Country pay.

18. Ministers have been soe scarce & Religions many that noe acc^{t} cann be giuen of Children's births or christenings

19. Scarcity of Ministers and Law admitting marriages by Justices, noe acc^{t} cann be giuen of the number marryed.

20. Noe acc^{t} cann be giuen of burialls, formes of burialls not being generally obserued & few ministers till very lately.

21. A merch^{t} worth 1000^{lb} or 500^{lb} is accompted a good substantiall merchant and a planter worthe halfe that in moveables accompt^{d} [rich ?] with all the Estates may be valued att about £150,000.

22. There may lately haue traded to y^{e} Collony in a yeare from tenn to fifteen shipps or vessells of about togeather 100 tunns each, English new England and our owne built of w^{ch} 5 small shipps & a Ketch now belonging to New Yorke foure of them built there.

23. Obstruccons to Improuem^{t} of planters, trade, Navigacon and mutuall assistance are y^{e} distinction of Collonies for our owne produce, as if different nations and people, though next neighbours upon the same tract of land, & His Mat^{ies} subjects, we obserueing acts of trade & navigacon, &c.

24. Aduantages, Incouragem^{t} & Improaem^{t} of Planters trade and Navigacon would be more if next neighbours of o^{r} own Nation the King's subjects on the same tract of land might without distinction, supply each other with our owne produce, punctually obserueing all acts of parliam^{t} for Exportacon & would dispose all persons the better for mutuall assistance.

25. Rates or dutyes upon Goods exported are 2^{s} for each hhd of Tobacco & 1^{s} 3^{d} on a beaver skin & other peltry proportionably, Provisions and all

else pay nothing, Goods imported payes 2 per cent except Liquors particulerly rated something more, & Indian trade goeing up the river payes 3 per cent, there are some few quitt-rents, as also Excise or license monys for retaileing stronge drinke & a way-house or publique Scale: all applyed to ye Garrison and publique charge, to which it hath not hitherto sufficed by a greate deale.

26. There are Religions of all sorts, one church of England, Several Presbiterians & Independents, Quakers & Anabaptists of Severall sects, some Jews but presbiterians & Independts most numerous & Substantiall.

27 The Duke maintaines a chapline wch is all the certaine allowance or Church of England, but peoples free gifts to ye Ministry, and all places oblidged to build Churches & provide for a minister, in wch most very wanting, but presbiterians & Independts desierous to have and mainetaine them if to be had, There are abt 20 Churches or Meeting places of wch aboue halfe vacant their allowance like to be from 40lb to 70lb a yeare and a house and garden. Noe Beggars but all poore cared ffor. If good Ministers could be had to goe theither might doe well & gaine much upon those people.

Endorsed
"Answers of inquiries of New York
Recd from Sr Edm. Andros on the
16thof Ap. 1678."

Note.—Chalmers gives in his Annals what purport to be copies of these Reports, but they will be found to be rather abstracts when compared with the official MSS. which are now published in full, it is believed, for the first time.

THE STATE OF LANDS IN THE PROVINCE OF NEW YORK, IN 1732.

BY CADWALLADER COLDEN, SURVEYOR-GENERAL.

[Colden Manuscripts, N. Y. Hist. Soc.]

In obedience to your Excellency's Commands, I now lay before you the State of the Lands in this Province in the best manner I am capable of, by a plain Narrative of such facts as have come to my knowledge.

It may be necessary in the first place to observe that the King's Commissioners, who were sent in the year 1664 to reduce this Country to the Kings obedience (it being then in possession of the Dutch) issued a Proclamation wherein they *Promised and Declared, that whosoever, of what Nation soever will upon the Knowledge of this Proclamation, acknowledge and testify themselves to submit to his Majesties Government, as good subjects, ought to do, shall be protected by his Laws and Justice, and peacibly enjoy whatever Gods blessing and their own industry hath furnished them with, and all other privilidges with English Subjects.* And by the third article of Surrender, agree'd to with the Dutch Governor it is stipulated that *All ople shall continue free Denizens, and enjoy lands, houses, goods, ships P resoever they are within the County, and dispose of them as they please.* who by the eleventh Article, *The Dutch here shall enjoy their own Customs* And*r ning inheritances.*

In pursuance of which the Inhabitants took out Confermations of their Lands and tenements under the hand and seal of Coll Nicholls the first English Governor under the Duke of York in which their Title under the Dutch is recited, and the form of these Confermations appear to be every where the same.

Govr Nicholls likewise granted unimproved Lands, to any that were willing to settle and improve them and these first grants were made without any previous survey, or without reciting any certain Boundaries, but only to contain for example 100, 200 or 300 Acres adjoining to such another mans Land, or to a certain Hill or river, or Rivulet.

The Reddendum in these first Grants varied from time to time. At first it was *Paying the usual Rents of New Plantations*, what that was is now a dispute, but perhaps it still may be ascertained by living Evidences and sometimes their is added as a condition of the Grant, that the Grantee *shall do and perform such acts and things as shall be appointed By his Royal Highness or his Deputy.*

In about a years time the form of the Reddendum was changed as follows *Paying such duties as shall be constituted and ordained by his Royal Highness and his heirs or such Govr or Govrs as shall from time to time be appointed or set over them.* It is probable people were not willing to axcept of Grants upon such precarious terms and therefore we find this form soon after changed into the following, Paying such duties and acknowledgements as now are or hereafter shall be constituted and established by the Laws of this Government.

What Laws were then in being or afterwards enacted I know not, thoo perhaps they are still among the Records; but it is to be observed, that the Legislative authority was then assumed by the Govr and Council without the assent or concurrence of the Representatives of the People and the Laws then made are now in disuse. And for this Reason, none of these Lands pay now any Quitrent, tho' their number be large, being, as I compute, not less than a Thousand: but I take into this computation all those grants in recording whereof the Clerks have omitted all that part of the grant which is commonly called the Habendum and Reddendum. The reason of which neglect, I suppose to be that they were all in the same words with a few that are Recorded at length in the begining, for so much is recorded as wherein they can differ, when the Habendum and Reddendum is the same viz The Motives to the Grant, the bounds to the thing granted, and the Grantees name and designation.

Before I proceed further, it will be likewise necessary to observe that the geatest part of Long Island, Viz all that part which lies opposite to Connecticut, was settled from Connecticut, and claimed by the Inhabitants under the Connecticut Title, to which in pursuance of the Proclamation above mentioned some regard is had. For the first, or at least the principle Grants of Lands upon this Island, are made in Townships according to the custom of Connecticut, & to the Freeholders and Inhabitants which suppossess a previous Title some I know, think that these Grants of Townships are not Grants of the Soil, but only for the Good Government of these parts of the Country, as I remember it it expressly mentioned in the Patents for the Townships of Southampton and Southold, and perhaps it is so in others likewise, and the Governours who granted these Town Patents continued to grant the Soil, within the limits of these Townships, as some of the succeeding Governours did likewise, However most of all the Lands within these Townships are held by Grants from Trustees, or Common Council of these Towns upon the General Town rights only. If these Town Patents should not be valid, as to the whole Soil contained within their limits yet they may operate as a confirmation of the particular rights and

possessions of those who are called freeholders in the said Grants. These Town Patents are generally upon small yearly acknowledgements—

Notwithstanding that the Govrs under the Duke of York, took these extraordinary methods to secure their Masters Authority, and interest, they made some Grants of Large Tracts of Land, upon trifling Quitrents but as these are very few, in Comparison of what happened afterwards what observations I have to make on this head will come in more properly in another place.

Sir Edmond Andross the third English Govr of New York, as he seems to have had the interest of his Master and of the People he Governed as much at heart as any Govr that has at any time been set over this Province so he was very carefull in Granting of Lands: All Lands to be Granted were Surveyed before the Grant and bounded in the Grant according to the Survey. The Quitrents were likewise fixed by the Grant, generally at the rate of one Bushel each one hundred acres tho' some times at a higher rate and sometimes the rent was less, probably as the value of the land was represented. And as these grants are the most profitable to the Lords of the soil, so are they to the Tenant, they being free of all those disputes about their Boundaries which have in a great measure rendered some others useless to the grantees. Sr Edward has left but a few exceptions to be made to this general account given of his care of his Masters Interest. Coll Dungan who succeeded him, followed his steps in the Granting of Lands, but the exceptions to the General Good Rule are both more numerous and more considerable than in Sr Edmonds Administration.

While Coll Dungan was Govr the Duke of York became King by which the property of the Soil and the Quitrents became annexed to the Crown, and have continued so ever since, but as the Revoluiton happened soon afterwards, there is nothing material to be observed 'till after that time.

After the Revolution the Grants of Lands to all ran in the Kings name, whereas before that they were made in the Govrs name that granted the Land, and this method of Granting in the Govrs name was continued after the Duke of York became King, as it was before.

Coll Slaughter the first Governor after the Revolution, found the Country in such confusion and lived so short a while that I think only one Patent passed in his time for Lands. But Coll Fletcher, who succeeded him, made amends by the liberal hand with which he gave away lands. The most extraordinary favors of former Govrs were but petty grants in comparison of his He was a generous man, and gave the Kings Lands by parcels of upwards of One hundred thousand Acres to a man, and to some particular favourites four or five times that quantity, but the King was not pleased with him, as I am told, and he was recalled in disgrace. This lavishing away of lands probably was one reason for

The Earl of Bellamont, who succeeded, having orders to use all legal means for breaking extravagant grants of Land, joined with the Assembly in vacating several of the extravagant Grants made by Coll Fletcher but as this act was carried thro' with spirit of party in the assembly, it passed with much less impartiality than might have been expected from the Justice of the Legislature. For some of the most extravagant Grants were passed over, while some others were declared extravagant and vacated, that no way deserved that Character. However this act has considerably increased his Majestys Quitrents for of these tracts which were then vacated, and which by their patents were to pay altogether five beaver skins one otter skin one fat Buck and twenty shillings the lands since that time regranted within the bounds of the said patents pay near four hundred pounds yearly at the rate of 2s 6d per hundred acres, notwithstanding that a great part of these lands still remain ungranted. The Earl of Bellamont's administra-

tion was short he being removed by Death before he could compleat the designs he had in view

After his death the administration fell into Capt Nafans hands, then Lieut Govr. It appears that the Grants made in his time pass'd in a hurry, without any previous survey, but upon very uncertain informations of the natural Boundaries, which the Grantees took in their Grants, so that some of them are become a sort of ambulatory Grants. The Patentees claiming, by virtue of the same Grant, sometimes in One part of the Country, and sometimes in another, as they are driven from one place to another by others claiming the same lands with more certainty. In other grants we find the same persons joined in several Grants with others, which Grants were intended for different Tracts and in appearance seem to be so, and yet by their present claims they take in the same Lands within the bounds of their several grants.

The Earl of Bellamont was succeeded, after Queen Anns accession to the throne by her Cousin the Lord Cornbury. The Grants of large tracts upon trifling quitrents, that were made during his Lordship's administration at least equalled those of all his predecessors put together. Indeed his Lordship's inclinations were so evident to every body at that time that two Gentlemen (as I am well assured) had agreed with his lordship for a Grant of all the lands in the Province, at a Lump, which were not at that time granted, and that the only thing which prevented the passing of that grant was, that those Gentn apprehended that the Grant would of itself appear so extravagant and would create so many enemies, that they would not be able to hold it. During the Lord Cornbury's administration an act was likewise passed, repealing the act above mentioned for vacating the extravagant Grants of Land by Coll Fletcher. The vacating Act passed not long before King Williams Death, and lay in the offices in England without any notice taken of it, till after the Lord Cornbury was removed from his Government; then the vacating Act was confirmed and the act repealing it was repeal'd by the Queen and at the same time new instructions were given to the Govr, by which the Quitrent was directed not to be less than 2s 6d each hundred acres, and previous Surveys were ordered to be made before the Grant should pass, which have effectually prevented the above mentioned abuses.

I shall now proceed to some more particular account of the great Grants of Lands, I mean of such as contain fifty thousand Acres and upwards to a Million of acres, for if I be not very much misinformed, there is more than one that contain that quantity.

No quantity of Land or number of Acres, for the most part are mentioned in any of these Grants, nor is it possible to discover the Quantity by inspection of the Patents, as it may be done in those Grants which are founded on a previous Survey and where any quantity is expressed, it seems to be done more with design to hide the real quantity (if their present claims be truly conformable to their original bounds) than to set forth the truth, for I have hear'd of one instance at least, where the patent Grants 300 acres, and the patentee now claims upwards of sixty thousand acres within the bounds of his Grant. Others suspecting that such disproportion between the real quantity and the quantity express'd in the Grant, might invalidate the Grant, got the quantity of Land to be expressed in the following manner, Containing for example, One thousand acres of profitable Land, besides wood Land, and waste and yet, when these Lands were Granted, perhaps there was not ten acres that was not wood Land, or One Acre that at the time of the Grant yielded any profit or one acre that by improvement might be made profitable. Others guard against this exception to their Grant, by adding to the quantity of Land expressed in the

Grant these words *Be it more or less*, or some such words, and by virtue of these, they not only claim a small quantity more than is expressed in the patent, but claim twice as much, and often ten times as much, and sometimes above one hundred times the quantity of Land that is expressed in the Grant, but as I said before, generally no quantity of Lands is expressed in the Large Grants.

There being no previous Survey to the Grants, their Boundaries are generally expressed with much uncertainty, By the Indian names of Brooks, Rivulets, Hills, Ponds, Falls of water &c which were and still are known to very few Christians, and which adds to this uncertainty is, that such names as are in these Grants taken to be the proper name of a Brook, Hill, or Fall of water &c in the Indian Language signifies only a Large Brook or Broad Brook or small Br^{k}, or high Hill, or only a Hill or fall of water in general, so that the Indians shew many places by the same name—Brooks and Rivers have different names withe the Indians, at different places, and often change their names, they taking their names often from the abode of some Indian near the place where it is so called. This has given room to some to explain and enlarge their Grants according to their own inclinations by putting the names mentioned in their grants to what place or part of the Country they please, of which I can give some particular instances where the claims of some have increased many miles, in a few years, and this they commonly do, by taking some Indians, in a Publick manner, to shew such places as they name to them, and it is too well known that an Indian will shew any place by any name you please, for the small reward of a Blanket or Bottle of Rum ; and the names as I observed, being common names in the Indian language, and not proper ones as they are understood to be in English, gives more room to these Frauds

Several of the great Tracts lying on Hudson's River are bounded by that River, on the East or West sides and on the North and South sides by Brooks or Streams of Water which, when the Country was not well known, were supposed to run nearly perpendicular to the River, as they do for some distance from their mouths, whereas many of these Brooks run nearly parallel to the River and sometimes in a course almost directly opposite to the River. This has created great confusion with the adjoining patents, and frequently Contradictions in the boundaries, as they are expressed in the same patent.

Sometimes the Grant is of the Land that belonged to such an Indian by name or is bounded by such an Indians land, but to prove that any particular spot belonged to any particular Indian, or to show the bounds of any particular Indian, I believe is beyond human skill, so as to make it evident to any indifferent man.

I shall next recite what have been the consequences of these large Grants, It is evident that thereby the King has been deprived of almost all his Quitrents, which it appears by the powers given to the Gov^{rs} to grant Lands, the King design'd to reserve. But the consequence, I think, has been much worse as to the improvement of the country for tho this Country was settled many years before Pennsylvania, and some of the Neighbouring Collonies, and has many advantages over them, as to the situation and conveniences of Trade, it is not near so well cultivated, nor are there near such a number of Inhabitants, as in the others, in proportion to the quantity of Land ; and it is chiefly if not only where these large Grants are made where the Country remains uncultivated—tho they contain some of the best Lands and the most conveniently situated. And every year the Young people go from this Province, and Purchase Land in the Neighbouring Colonies, while much better and every way more convenient Lands lie useless to the King and Country The reason of this is that the Grantees them-

selves are not, nor never were in a Capacity to improve such large Tracts and other People will not become their Vassals or Tenants for one great reason as peoples (the better sort especially) leaving their native Country, was to avoid the dependence on landlords, and to enjoy lands in fee to descend to their posterity that their children may reap the benefit of their labour and Industry There is the more reason for this because the first purchase of unimproved Land is but a trifle to the charge of improving them.

It may perhaps deserve the consideration of those who are more capable of Political foresight than I am, whether, if these large Grants take place, as they are designed and become great Lordships with large dependancies and revenues, whether this will secure or ṁdanger the Dependancy of the Colonies on their Mother Country. I think few instances can be given where great changes were brought to effect, in any state but when they were headed by Rich and powerful men ; any other commotions generally produced only some short lived disorders and Confusions

Now that I have done with what is more peculiarly my business the Historical part of this representation, yet, as your Excellency did me the Honour likewise to ask my opinion of what Remedy may be most proper, and effectual, I flatter myself that the giving my opinion at large in writing will be most agreeable to your Excellency's commands.

What at first Sight occurs in the vacating or breaking these Grants by due course of Law, and indeed there seems in common justice to be room enough for it but (to the purely Legal part, as it is an art or science I pretend to no skill in it) It is evident that in many of these the Governor who granted them was deceived as to the quantity ; but that the King was deceived in all of them. The Govr who granted these large tracts, if they knew their extent, were guilty of a notorious breach of trust, and as it cannot be supposed, that they did this merely in the gayety of their heart, they must have had some temptation, and this must be supposed to proceed from those that received the Benefit of it. That therefore the Grantees are equally guilty with the Govr in deceiving the King, and likewise of defrauding all the adventurers or settlers in the Colony of their equal chance of obtaining the most improvable and convenient lands, and of preventing the improvement and settling of the Colony for which purpose only the Lands are supposed to be Granted. These things supposed, I can make no doubt of a remedy in the common Course of the Law, but notwithstanding of this I apprehend, that it will be accompanied with so many difficulties, that it will be better to think of some other. For all attempts, of those in the administration upon the properties of the subjects, are looked upon with an evil eye and as are dangerous, and will be more so in this Country, where perhaps few Grants in America are made with such skill and care that some flaw may not be found in them by a strict and legal search so that every man will be apt to look upon any attempt of this kind, as in some measure his own case, and those that are really concerned will use all their Art to stir up the people to make it a Country Quarrel To prevent this it may be proposed, to give an absolute confirmation of all the Grants excepting such as are truly extravagant But it will be difficult how to define or determine the Grants that are truely such without making the exceptions to general or too particular, by naming the particular Grants to be excepted

The following proposal seems to me to be more practicable, Viz to abolish all the present rents by an act of the Legislature, and in lieu of them to establish the Quitrents of all passed Grants at 2s 6d pr one hundred acres, with an absolute Confirmation of all Grants upon their paying the said Quitrents. This would effectually restore the Quitrents, and would as effectually destroy all the Grts which are truly extravagant. I mean such as the

Proprietors cannot improve in any reasonable time for as this rent would be very heavy where the Tracts exceed twenty or thirty thousand acres, the Patentees would gladly surrender their Grants to free themselves from this Burden, but at the same time it would be just to preserve to them their improved Lands under proper restrictions of not rendering useless any part of what is not delivered up.

The Quitrents would in this case be sufficient to support the Government, and if they were applied to that purpose, I believe would give a general satisfaction, because it would be as equal a Taxation as could well be contrived, and the taxes would not, as they do now, fall only upon the improvements and the industry of the people. It wou'd likewise absolutely remove the complaints of the Merchants, so that it would generally please all sorts, excepting the owners of the large Tracts—And I humbly conceive it for the Kings interest and of all those in the Administration to consent to this, because the Quitrents are of no use besides paying the Salary of the Receiver and Auditor, and that Gentlemans Estate would be thought to be ill managed, when it only paid his Steward and his Clerks wages. Besides when the revenue shall be fixed in this manner it will be much easier to obtain extraordinary supplies when they shall be wanted, and it will likewise be much easier for the People to pay them

The chief objection, which I can conceive, that will be made to this is that if a perpetual revenue be Granted, then the Govrs will be free'd from that dependance on the People, and check on their behaviour that is necessary in all well ballanced Governments and which is the only check which the poor people have in America and that without such check the people of the Plantations may become a prey to Rapacious Tyrannical Govrs or other officers, tho the people do not doubt of their obtaining relief from the King and his Ministers yet that relief is at such a distance, and must be attended with so much charge, that few private persons can have any benefit by it, and may often prove ineffectual by being too late even when many join in the complaint. Therefore unless some effectual solid check be given the people, in lieu of what they have at present, by granting the Revenue for a short time, it cannot be expected that ever they will consent to a perpetual Revenue of any kind, or that they will be easy under it.

Now I have laid before your Excellency in the best manner I can within the bounds I think it necessary to confine myself, the most material things concerning the Grants of Lands as far as relates to the King, the people of the Province, and the Grantees. If the remedy for the abuses set forth be thought practicable, no doubt your Excellency will easily obtain an Instruction, such as the Earl of Bellamont had to propose to the Assembly to find some proper means for establishing the Quitrents generally over all the lands in Province at the same rate and for promoting the improvement and settling of the Country, for that otherwise the King will take such legal methods, as shall be thought proper for vacating extravagant Grants, and receiving his Quitrents. And if there be a permission given at the same time to apply the Quitrents to the support of Government, and absolutely to confirm all past grants, I believe an Assembly may conform with the Instructions, under such restrictions as shall be thought necessary checks on the officers—

In order to compute what the Quitrents would immediately yield I make the following calculation—

Long Island is computed to be 150 miles long, and Albany to be the same number of miles distant from New York, I suppose Long Island to be eight miles wide one place with another, and that 10 miles on each side of Hudson's River, would immediately pay rent, this amount to—2,688,000 Acres which at 2s 6d the hundred will yield £3350, and if the Cities of New York

and Albany pay a reasonable Quitrent for their house lots the whole Quitrent will immediately amount to 4000 pounds yearly, which is more than the Assembly has at any time given for the support of Governt

It may be objected that the length of Long Island and distance to Albany may be less than what is vulgarly computed: That New Jersey extends 20 miles on one side Hudson's River: and that some Mountainous places within my computation, will yield no quitrent in this age but if it be considered that Staten Island is not within the Computation that the settlements extend 30 Miles beyond Albany, and that many settlements are 20 miles from the river and some thirty miles, it will be granted the Quitrents will at least amount to the sum above mentioned.

In the last place it may be objected that the Kings Ministers design the Quitrents for other uses, but if it be considered of what consequence it is to free the Kings Officers of that immediate dependance on the humours of an Assembly, they are now under for their daily support, I believe it will be thought more for His Majestys service to apply the Quitrents to the support of the Administration in this Province, than to the uses the Quitrents have been hitherto applied.

NOTE—Appended to the copy of the preceding, in possession of the N. Y. Historical Society, is the following memorandum, in the hand-writing of Lieut. Gov. COLDEN:—

MAY 6th, 1752.

It is now twenty years since I delivered the above Memorial to Col. Cosby, soon after his arrival. I question whether ever he read it. I have reason to think he gave it to the person in whom he then confided who had no inclination to forward the purposes of it. It had no other effect than to be prejudicial to myself.

The computations of what the lands would have at that time produced at 2s 6d per one hundred acres I believe were made within bounds. The settlements are greatly increased since that time more than in fifty years before it so that I make no doubt they will produce six thousand pounds a year taking in a reasonable Quitrent for the house lots in the Cities of New York and Albany.

I forgot to mention that it appears from the Records that numbers of house lots were granted under the yearly Quitrents of one shilling two shillings &c or some such small rent which I believe is now never paid.

THE FOLLOWING INDIAN TRADITION OF THE FIRST LANDING OF EUROPEANS NEAR NEW YORK IS EXTRACTED FROM HECKWELDER'S HISTORY.

"A long time ago, before men with a white skin had ever been seen, some Indians, fishing at a place where the sea widens, espied something at a distance moving upon the water. They hurried ashore, collected their neighbours, who together returned and viewed intensely this astonishing phenomenon. What it could be, baffled all conjecture. Some supposed it a large fish or animal, others that it was a very big house floating on the sea. Perceiving it move towards land, the spectators concluded that it would be proper to send runners in different directions to carry the news to their scattered chiefs, that they might send off for the immediate attendance of their warriors. These arriving in numbers to behold the sight, and perceiving that it was actually moving towards them, (i. e. coming into the river or bay,) they conjectured that it must be a remarkable large house, in which the Manitto (or Great Spirit) was coming to visit them. They were much afraid, and yet under no apprehension that the Great Spirit would injure them. They worshipped him. The chiefs now assembled at York Island, and consulted in what manner they should receive their Manitto: meat was prepared for a sacrifice. The women were directed to prepare the best of victuals. Idols or images were examined and put in order A grand dance they thought would be pleasing, and in addition to the sacrifice, might appease him if angry. The conjurors were also set to work to determine what this phenomenon portended, and what the result would be. To these, men, women and children looked up for advice and protection. Utterly at a loss what to do, and distracted alternately by hope and fear, in this confusion a grand dance commenced. Meantime fresh runners arrived, declaring it to be a great house of various colours and full of living creatures. It now appeared certain that it was their Manitto, probably bringing some new kind of game. Others arriving, declared it positively to be full of people, of different color and dress from theirs, and that one in particular appeared altogether *red*.* This then must be the *Manitto*. They were lost in admiration, could not imagine what the vessel was, whence it came, or what all this portended. They are now hailed from the vessel in a language they could not understand. They answer by a shout or yell in their way. The house (or large canoe as some render it) stops. A smaller canoe comes on shore with the red man in it: some stay by his canoe to guard it. The chiefs and wise men form a circle, into which the red man and two attendants approach. He salutes them with friendly countenance, and they return the salute after their manner. They are amazed at their colour and dress, particularly with him who, glittering in red, wore something (perhaps lace and buttons) they could not comprehend. He *must* be the great Manitto, they thought, but why should he have a *white skin?* A large elegant *Hockhach* (*gourd*, i. e. bottle, decanter, &c.) is brought by one of the supposed Manitto's servants, from which a substance is poured into a small cup or glass, and handed to the Manitto. He drinks, has the glass refilled, and handed to the chief near him. He takes it, smells it and passes it to the next, who does the same. The glass in this manner is passed round the circle, and is about to be returned to the red-clothed man, when one of them, a great warrior, harrangues them on the impropriety of returning the cup unemptied. It was handed to them, he said, by the Manitto, to drink out of as he had. To follow his example would please him—to reject it might provoke his wrath. And if no one

* Hudson clothed in red the savages he took on board near Sandy Hook Bay. This shows that he had red clothes on board, and when he or his mate landed, he might have been thus clothed.

else would, he would drink it himself, let what would follow; for it were better for one even to die, than a whole nation to be destroyed. He then took the glass, smelled at it, again addressed them, bidding adieu, and drank the contents. All eyes were now fixed (on the first Indian in New York who had tasted the poison which has since affected so signal a revolution in the condition of the native Americans.) He soon began to stagger. The women cried, supposing him in fits. He rolled on the ground. They bemoan his fate. They thought him dying. He fell asleep. They at first thought he had expired, but soon perceived he still breathed. He awoke, jumped up, and declared he never felt more happy. He asked for more, and the whole assembly, imitating him, became intoxicated. After this intoxication ceased, they say, that while it lasted the whites confined themselves to their vessel, the man with red clothes returned, and distributed beads, axes, hoes and stockings. They soon became familiar and conversed by signs. The whites made them understand that they would now return home, but the next year they would visit them again with presents, and stay with them awhile: but as they could not live without eating, they should then want a little land to sow seeds, in order to raise herbs to put into their broth. Accordingly a vessel arrived the season following, when they were much rejoiced to see each other;* but the whites laughed when they saw the axes and hoes hanging as ornaments to their breasts, and the stockings used as tobacco pouches. The whites now put handles (or helves) in the former, and cut down trees before their eyes, and dug the ground, and showed them the use of the stockings. Here they say a general laughter ensued, to think they had remained ignorant of the use of these things, and had borne so long such heavy metal suspended around their necks. Familiarity daily increasing between them and the whites, the latter now proposed to stay with them, asking them only for so much land as the hide of a bullock spread before them would cover or encompass. They granted the request. The whites took a knife, and beginning at one place on this hide, cut it up to a rope not thicker than the finger of a little child. They then took the rope and drew it gently along in a circular form, and took in a large piece of ground; the Indians were surprised at their superior wit, but did not contend with them for a little ground, as they had enough.† They lived contentedly together for a long time, but the new comers from time to time asked for more land, which was readily obtained. And thus they gradually proceeded higher up the Mahicannittuck, (Hudson river,) until they began to believe they would want all their country, which proved eventually the case."

* It is certain that the Dutch sent one ship the year after Hudson's discovery, and it is highly probable that a part of the crew who had been with him, returned with this vessel.

† These Dutchmen (says Mr. Heckewelder,) turned their classical knowledge of Queen Dido to a profitable account.

DISPOSITION OF LANDS IN THE OLDEN TIME.

We, Director and Council of New Netherland residing on the Island of Manhates in the Fort Amsterdam under the authority of their High and Mighty Lords the States General of the United Netherlands and the Privileged West India Company at their chambers at Amsterdam, do publish and declare that on this day, the date underwritten, before us in their proper persons, appeared and presented themselves *Kakapoteyno Menqueuw and Guwiran,* Chiefs of *Keskaechquerem* in presence of the after mentioned witnesses, is and declared voluntarily and deliberately, that with the consent of the Community and for the consideration of Eight fathoms (Duffels) cloth for sailors, eight fathoms of Seawant (wampum) Twelve Kettles, eight addices and eight axes, with certain Knives, Corals and awls which the said appearers before the passing of these presents acknowledge to have received to their full gratification and satisfaction into their hand and power; in their true, rightfull and free ownership, they have transported, ceded, given over and conveyed, and by these presents they do transport, cede, give over and convey to and for the behoof of their High Mightinesses the Lords Managers of the general Privileged West India Company at Amsterdam, a certain piece of Land lying on Long Island South of the Island of Manhates, extending in the length of the plantation of George Rapaeljee (called River Megackonck) a full another half mile till to Mespaechtes, and in breadth from the East river about one mile till to the Kripplebushes (Swamps) of ditto Mespachtes, and that with all the action, right, and equity to them the said appeares in their aforesaid quality appertaining and subsisting the aforesaid Lords Managers in their stead and state, and in the real and actual possession thereof, and at the same giving to the same or to their successors full and irrevocable might, authority, and special permission as attorneys in their own case, the before described land and the dependences thereof, to enter in peace, to possess, inhabit, cultivate, & occupy, and also therewith and thereof to do, bargin and sell in like manner as he might do with his own lands honestly and lawfully gotten, Without their the grantors having, reserving and saving in the least any part, right, action or controul whatever whether of ownership, charge or jurisdiction, but to the behoff as aforesaid—Now and forever from the same desisting, abstaining, withdrawing, and renouncing by these presents—Promising moreover not only this their transport and whatever may be done by virtue thereof, forever firmly, inviolably and irrevocably to maintain, fulfil, and execute; but also the same parcel of land against all and every one to deliver and maintain free from all claims, prosecutions and incumbrance that may by any one be instituted. All in good faith without fraud or deceit Witness these presents confirmed with our usual signature and with our seal suspended below.

Done on the Island of Manhates in the Fort Amsterdam the 1st day of August, A. D. 1638.

Maurits Janson, } *Witness.*
Claes Van Elslant, }

In presence of me,
Cornelis Van Tienhoven, *Sig.*

We, Director and Council of New Netherland residing in the Fort Amsterdam under the Authority of the High and Mighty Lords The States General of the United Netherland and the privileged West India Company' at their chambers at Amsterdam, By these presents do publish and declare' that on this day, the date underwritten, before us in their proper person appeared and presented himself *Machoswodt*, chief Sachem of *Marossepinck*, Sintsinck, (otherwise called Scouts-bay,) and the dependences of the same, and declared voluntarly and deliberately, that with the consent of Piscamoc, his Cousin, *Swatteswockkouw*, *Kachpohoo*, *Ketachquasrars*, joint owners of the aforesaid land in consideration of certain parcels of goods, which the appearers before the passing of these presents acknowledge to have received into their hands and power to their full gratification and satisfaction in their true, right, full and free ownership they have transported, ceded, given over, and conveyed; and by these presents they do transport, cede, give over, and convey to and for the behoof of their esteemed Lordships the Managers of the General Incorporated West India Company at their chambers at Amsterdam, all the partrimonial lands to them belonging, and the jurisdiction of the same situate on long Island, in the Indian Language, called Suanhacky, begining in its length along the South side of said Island from *Reckouw-hacky* to *Sicketew-hacky* and the said Sicketew-hacky in its breadth to Marten Gerritsens bay, and from thence in its length westward along the East River till to the Vabeckskill, and that with all the action, right and equity that to him the said *Mechosvol*, or any of his heirs respectively in their aforesaid quality may appertain, or that they might reserve or save. Constituting and sbustituting the before mentioned Lordships in his stead and state and in the real and actual possession thereof, and at the same time giving unto the same or to their successors full and irrevocable might, authority and special permission, the aforesaid land to enter in peace, possess, inhabit, cultivate, also *therewith* and *thereof* to bargin and sell in like manner as they might do with their own lands honestly and lawfully gotten. Without their the Grantors in the least having, reserving, or saving any part or controll whatever in the same, but all to the behoof as aforesaid with the Express condition that he the said Mechoscaat with his accompanying people and friends in the aforesaid lands shall have the privilege of continuing to dwell, plant maize, to fish, to hunt in the manner in which they can best support themselves, giving up himself and his people under the protection of their esteemed Lordships, Who are to show him all possible help and favour through their authorities in this quarter. In Witness and token of the truth of these presents, Subscribed by witnesses expressly requested by the Secratary who was present at the purchase.

Done at Fort Amsterdam in New Netherland the 15th day of January, A. D. 1639.

Davidt Pietersen de Vries.
Maurito Janson, (as Witness.)

In my presence—Cornelis Van Tienhoven, *Sec'y.*

On this day the date underwritten appeared before me Cornelis Van Tienhoven Secratary in New Netherland *Fecquemeck Rechawar Packamieus* owners of *Kekeshick*, who in the presence of the underwritten witnesses declared voluntarily and deliberately that in and for the consideration of certain parcels of goods which the appearers before the passing of these presents acknowledge to have received to their satisfaction in their true, rightful and free ownership they have transported, ceded, given, and conveyed as by these presents they do transport, cede, give, and convey to and for the behoof of the General Incorporated West India Company a cer-

tain piece of land lying over against the flats of the Island of Manhates called Heskeshich, extending in its length along the kill which runs around the back part of the Island of Manhates mostly East and West, beginning at the source of the said Kill till over against the High Hill of the flat land to wit: by the great Kill—and that with all the action, right and equity to them the appearers in the said quality appertaining, constituting their Lordships the managers of the Incorporated West India Company in their stead and in the real and actual possession of the same, at the same time giving the same Lordships and their successors full and irrevocable might, authority and special permission the above described land and the dependences thereof to enter, in peace to possess, and cultivate, in like manner as they might do with their own lands honestly and lawfully gotten, without their the grantors therein any longer having, reserving or saveing in the least any part or controul; from now and forever, therefrom desisting by these presents delivering aforesaid parcel of land free and from all claim and incumbrances that by any one may thereto be instituted, all in good faith without fraud or deceit. In Witness and token of the truth of these presents, at the requests of the secratary they are undersigned by witness.

Done 3d August 1639 in the Fort Amsterdam, New Netherland.

CORNELIS VAN DER HOYTEN, } *Witnesses.*
DAVID PIETERSEN DE VRIES, }

Attest by me,
CORNELIS VAN TIENHOVEN, *Secratary.*

I the subscriber acknowledge by these presents that at the instance and for the behalf of *Mr. Coenract Van Ceulen* Merchant residing in Amsterdam, I have purchased the farm and the appurtenannces thereof occupied heretofore by *Jacob Van Corter* lying on the Island of Manhates over against the farm of Johannes la Montainge, and that with all the action, right, and equity, which to the aforesaid Corter appertained and since I the subscriber Cornelis Van Tienhoven have to my full satisfaction and gratification by the aforesaid Mr. Coenract Van Ceulen to the value or worth of the aforesaid farm with four mares, 3 cattle, one boat and tackle and one hundred morgens of land with the privaleges and utensils on the farm and furthermore all other dependences and effects to the farm appertaining (have been fully satisfied and paid off) therefore by these presents I do acknowledge that in my true, rightful and free ownership, I have transported, ceded, given over and conveyed and by these presents I do transport give over, cede and convey to and for the behoof of the said Mr. *Van* Ceulen or to his successors the before mentioned farm, the Cattle and all the fixtures, together with all the dependences of the farm, putting him in my place and stead and in the real and actual possession & giving to the aforesaid Mr. Van Ceulen the license of the aforesaid farm with the dependences thereof to entre, inhabit, and cultivate in such manner as he the said Van Ceulen in his pleasure shall think best without his the grantors having reserving or saving therein any part or controul whatever, but to the behoof as aforesaid with the express condition that the aforesaid Coenract Van Ceulen or his successors shall be obligated to fulfill and execute the contract made between Cornelis Van Tienhoven, Secratary, and his Tenant Claes Cornelesen not to remove the same without cause from the farm. In witness and token of the truth of these presents they in the presence of witnesses by me undersigned. Done the 22 day of August A D 1639.

In the fort Amsterdam.
CORNELIS VAN TIENHOVEN *as principal.*

DAIRDT DAIRDTS.
This the mark of
JAMES HIL, ☽

We Willem Kieft, Director General and the Councillors of New Netherland by these presents do publish and declare, that on this day the date underwriten before us in their proper persons appeared and presented themselves Seysey Chief, Sipento Ponitarannacklyne, chiefs and owners of the lands (lying betwen the Suynens Island to Gouwanes, along the North River and from Conynen* Island along the sea coast to Weywit Sprittner and from thence North by West and North West to Gouwanes aforesaid) who declared that with the acquiescence and consent of the other Indians, for and in consideration of certain parcels of Goods which the acknowledge before the passing of these presents to have received to their full and gratifying satisfaction; in their true, free and rightful ownership they have transported, ceded, given over, and conveyed, to and for the behoof of the Noble Lords the Managers of the Incorporated West India Company at their Chambers at Amsterdam, the parcel of land aforesaid lying on Long Island, and that with all the action, right and privileges to them in their said quality appertaining, constituting over the same the Managers in their stead in the real and actual possession of the aforesaid land, and by these presents giving them full and irrevocable might, authority and special permission the aforesaid land and the dependencies thereof to enter, cultivate, inhabit, and use in like manner as he has a right to do with other his patrimonial lands and effects without our the grantors thereto any longer, reserving or saving any part action or controul whatever, whether of authoriy or jurisdiction but to the behoof of the Most Noble Lords the Managers, from all desisting abstaining and renouncing all claims of ownership by these presents promising moreover not only this their Transport firmly, inviolably, and irrevocably to fulfil and execute, but the same parcel of land to defend free from all demands and incumbrances that thereto may be instituted—all in good faith; without deceit these presents are undersigned by the grantors in the presence of Witnesses this 10th day of Sept. 1645, In the Fort Amsterdam New Netherland.

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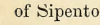
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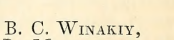
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Attest by me,
Cornelis Van Tienhoven, *Sec'r.*

On this day the date underwritten appeared before the Noble Lords the Director General and the Council *Megiegichkama, Oteyochguo, Wegtakochken* the right owners of the lands lying on the North river of New Netherland on the east shore called *Ubiequaes hook* in the breadth through the woods 'till to a certain Kill called *Seweyrut* diverging at the East river, from thence northward and southward to a certain Kil named *Rechawes* the same land betwixt two Kils one halfwoods betwixt the North and East rivers so that the western half to the aforesaid is still remaining and the other the easterly half with a south and north direction middle through the woods the

* Coney Island.

aforesaid owners acknowledged that with the consent of the Chief Sachem they have sold the parcel of land and all their oystering, fishing, &c., unto the Noble Lord Petrus Stuyvesant Director General of New Netherland, for and in consideration of certain parcels of merchandize which they acknowledge to their satisfaction to have received into their own hands and power before the passing of these presents, viz:

6 Fathoms cloth for Jackets.	10 Harrowteeth.
6 Fathoms Seawant (Wampum.)	10 Corals or beads.
6 Kettles.	10 Bells.
6 Axes.	1 Gun.
6 Addices.	2 lbs. Lead.
10 Knives.	2 lbs. Powder.

2 Cloath Coats.

In consideration of which the before mentioned owners do hereby the said land convey transport and give over to the aforesaid Noble Lords the Director General and to his successors in full, true and free ownership. To the said land We the Grantors neither now nor hereafter shall ever present any claim for selves, or heirs, and successors desisting by these presents from all action, either of equity or jurisdiction, but conveying all the same to the said Director General and to his successors to do therewith as it may seem proper to them without their the Grantors, or any of them molesting the Grantee of the aforesaid land whither in his property or in his family. It is also agreed that the most westerly half just as the Lord Director pleases shall go with this for as many goods as in can be, and they the Grantors promise at all times to induce their rulers on the North river to take the matter over and not to sell any without the knowledge of the Lord Director General ; the Grantors promising this transport firmly to maintain as in equity they are bound to do, Witness these presents by them respectively signed in the Fort Amsterdam in New Netherland this 14th day of July, A. D. 1649.

(Here follows the names of the Indians mentioned above.)

We, the Director and Council of New Netherland, residing on the Island of Manahatas, in the fort Amsterdam, under the authority of the Highland Mighty Lords, the States General of the United Netherlands, and the general Privileged West India Company, at their Chambers at Amsterdam, By these presents do publish and declare that by virtue of the Liberties and exemptions on the 7th day of June, A. D. 1629, to the Lords Patroons Particularly granted in the rightful, true, and free ownership they have granted, transported, ceded, given over, and conveyed ; and by these presents We do cede, give over, and convey to and for the behoof of *Andreas Hudde* a piece of land containing one hundred morgens situated on the North east of the Island of Manahatas behind Corlers land on the condition that he and his successors, Their High Mightinesses the Managers aforesaid shall acknowledge as their sovereign Lords and patroons, and pay, at the end of ten years after the arrangement of the settlement, on the cultivation of the land he may occupy, the just Tenth part of the increase with which god will bless the land and from this time forth for the House and lot deliver a pair of Capons annually to the Director for the Holy days: Constituting and substituting the aforesaid Hudde in our stead and state in the real and actual possession thereof, and at the same time giving to the same (The considerate Mr Hudde) or to his successors full and irrevocable might, authority, and special license, *tanquam actor et procurator in rem suam ac propriam* the aforesaid land to enter, peacebly to possess, inhabit, cultivate, occupy, use and also therewith and thereof to do, bargain, and dispose, in like manner as he might do with his own lands honestly and

lawfully gotten without their the grantors' in their said quality, thereto, in the least having, reserving or saving any part, action or ownership other than heretofore specified: Now and forever finally desisting, abstaining, withdrawing and renouncing by these presents; promising moreover this their transport, and what may be done by virtue thereof, firmly inviolable and irrevocably to maintain, fulfil, and execute as in Equity they are bound to; all in good faith without fraud or deceit. In Witness Whereof, these presents are confirmed with our usual signature and with our seal.—Done at the Fort of Amsterdam, 20 July 1638.

(Was Undersigned)

WILLEM KIEFT DR.

We Director and Council of New Netherlands, residing on the Island of Manahatas and the Fort Amsterdam, under the authority of the High and Noble Lords the states General of the United Netherlands, and the Priveleged West India Company at their Chambers at Amsterdam; By these presents do publish and declare that by virtue of the privileges and exemptions on the 7th day of June 1629, to the Lords patroons particularly granted, in their rightful true and free ownership they have granted, transported, given over, and conveyed; and by these presents, we do transport, cede, give over, and convey to and for the behoof of Wouter Van Twiller, Director General of New Netherlands a certain piece of land containing one Hundred Morgens lying hard by Sapokanickan bounded on the North by the road from the strand (Beach) along Jan Van Rotterdams, and on the west by his the forementioned plantation, and that of Edward Fiscock and so far into the woods as to include the said one Hundred Morgens, provided that all such roads or foot paths as already run through this land shall continue there for the use of the inhabitants, on the condition, that he and his successors, their High Mightinesses the Managers aforesaid Shall acknowledge as their soverign Lords and Patroons and at the End of ten years from the cultivating or planting of the aforesaid lands which he occupies the just tenth part of the increase with which god shall bless it, and from this time fourth, for the house and lot shall deliver to the Director General a pair of Capons for the Holy days, Constituting and substituting the aforesaid W. V. Twiller, in our stead and state into the real and actual possession thereof and at the same time giving to the same The considerate Wouter Van Twiller or to his successors full and irrevocable Might, authority, and special permission, *tanquam actor et procurator in rem suam ac propriam*, the aforesaid land to enter, in peace to possess, inhabit cultivate, occupy, use, and also therewith and thereof to bargain, and sell, in like manner as what he might do with his own lands honestly and lawfully gotten. Without their the grantors in their aforesaid quality, in the least thereto having, reserving, or saving any part, action, or ownership other than heretofore specified, but to the behoff as aforesaid, From this time forth and forever more and finally desisting abstaining withdrawing and removing by these presents:

We, William Kieft, Director General and Councillors of the High and Mighty Lords, the States General of the United provinces and his Highness of Orange and thier Excellences the managers of the Incorporated West India Company in New Netherland residing, do by these presents publish and declare that we on this day, the date underwritten, have given and granted to George Homs,* Tomas Hal,† Tobacco planters, being partners of a certain piece of land lying on the Island of Manhates, extending in breadth from Deutel bay along the East River till to the Hill of Schepmoes where

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* Holmes. † Thomas Hall.

the Beach tree lies over the water, and then in its length from the said river straight into the woods, and of the same breadth all along the water one hundred rods of thirteen feet to the rod, upon the express condition and terms that George Homs and Thomas Hal or their successors shall acknowledge the Noble Lords the Managers aforesaid as their masters and patroons under the sovereignty of the High and Mighty Lords the States General, and hereto their Director and Council to be obedient as all good citizens are bound to do, submitting themselves to all such taxes and imposts as by the Noble Lords have been appointed or may be appointed, Constituting over the same George Homs and Thomas Hal in the real and actual possession of the aforesaid piece of land, giving to the same the full and irrevocable power the before described parcel of land, to entre, occupy, cultivate and use, in like manner as he might do with his own patrimonial lands and effects. Without our the grantors in our quality as aforesaid having any longer reserving or saving therein any part or control of ownership, but to the behoof aforesaid from all desisting, now and forever abstaining, withdrawing and renouncing by these presents, Promising moreover this their Transport, firmly, inviolably and irrevocably to maintain, fulfil and execute as in equity we are bound to do. And for the further conformation, these presents are subscribed and our seal appended. Done this 15th day of November, A. D. 1639, in the Fort Amsterdam, Hereof an acte [decree ordered, has been granted to George Homs and Tomas Hal, which was undersigned by William Kieft.

By order of their Excellencies
The Director & Council.
Cornelis Van Tienk, *Secratary.*

We, William Kieft, Director General and the Councillors in behalf of the High and Mighty Lords the States General of the United provinces, of His Highness (the Prince) of Orange and the Noble Lords the Managers of the Incorporated West India Company residing in New Netherland, by these presents do publish and declare that we on this day, the date underwritten, to Thomas Bescher, Tobacco planter, have granted a certain piece of land lying on Long Island on the beach of the North River bay hard by Saphorakan, extending in breadth along the beach from the marsh of reeds three hundred paces of three feet to a pace, and with the same breadth across into the woods till to the Kipple bush, (Swamp,) with the express condition and terms that Tomas Bescher or his successor shall acknowledge the Noble Lords the Managers aforesaid as his Masters and Patroons under the sovereignty of the High and Mighty Lords the States General, and here be in subjection to their Director General and Council in all things as good inhabitants are bound to do, provided also that the said Tomas Bescher shall furthermore submit to all such taxes and imposts as by the Noble Lords have already been appointed, or hereafter may be appointed, constituting over the same Tomas Bescher or his successors in our stead in the real and actual possession of the before mentioned piece of land, giving him by these presents the full and irrevocable might, authority and special permission the before described parcel of land to enter, cultivate, inhabit, and use; Without our the Grantors in our quality aforesaid therein having, reserving or saving any longer any part, action or control whatever; but to the behoof as aforesaid.

From this time and forever more from all desisting, abstaining and renouncing by these presents all ownership to the aforesaid peice of land, promising moreover, this transport firmly, inviolably and irrevocably to maintain, fulfil and execute, as in equity we are bound to do without fraud

or deceit, these presents are by us undersigned, and confirmed with our seal. Done at Fort Amsterdam in New Netherland this 28th day of November, A. D. 1639,

was undersigned

WILLEM KIEFT,

and on the other side stood by order of their excellencies,

Dr. & Council.

Signed CORNELIS V. TIENHOVEN, *Secr'y.*

We William Kieft, Director General and Councillors in behalf of the High and Mighty Lords the States General of the United Netherlands and his Highness the Prince of Orange ; and their excellencies the Managers of the Incorporated West India Company in New Netherland residing, by these presents do publish and declare, that we on this day the date underwritten have granted and bestowed upon Philip De Tray, Court Messenger Gereghts—bode a certain piece of land lying on the Island of Manhates near Smith's Vally where Cornelis Van Tienhoven the Secretary is situated West South West and Davidt Provoost East North East next to his district in the breadth of the land of said Tienhoven to Bestevaer's Kripple bush Swamps Forty rods of 12 feet to the rod West South West and East North East and in its length from the beach sixty-eight rods North by West and Southly north to the land of the Said Provoost extending in breadth along the Beach from Smiths Valley to the fence of David Provoost seventy eight rods with the express condition and terms that the said Philip Tray or his successors their excellencies the Managers aforesaid shall acknowledge as their Masters and Patrons under the soverignty of the High and mighty Lords the States General and to their Director and Council here be in subjection in all things as good citizens are bound to be, Provided moreover that the said Philipe Tray shall further submit to all such taxes and imposts as by their Excellencies already have been appointed or hereafter may be appointed constituting over such the before named Philipe De Tray or his successors in the real and actual possession thereof giving unto him full and irrevocable might and special permission the said parcel of land to enter, cultivate, inhabit and use in like manner as he might do with his patrimonial lands and effects, without our the grantors any longer therein having, reserving or saving any part action or control, but to this behoof as aforesaid. From all desisting and from this time forth and forever abstaining and renouncing, by these presents all ownership to the said piece of land. Promising moreover this transport firmly, inviobly and irrevocably to maintain fulfil and execute as in we are bound to do without fraud or deceit. These presents are by us undersigned and confirmed with our seal.

Done at Fort Amsterdam in New Netherland 22ond. day of May, A. D. 1640 New style and was undersigned Willem Kieft, on the outside of the parchment below stood

By order of their excellencies the Director and Council in New Netherland Signed

CORNELIS VAN TIEN HOVEN, Sec'y.

We Willen Kieft Director General and the Councillors of the High and Mighty Lords the States General of the United Netherland, His Highness the Prince of Orange and their Excellencies the Managers of the Incorporated West India Company in New Netherland residing, do by these presents publish and declare that we on this day the date underwritten

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We Willem Kieft Director-General and Councillors of the High and Mighty Lords the States General of the United Netherlands his Majesty the Prince of Orange and their Excellencies, the Managers of the Incorporated West India Company in New Netherland residing. By these presents do publish and declare that We on this day, the date underwritten have granted under Pieter Van der Luiden Tobacco planter a certain piece of land lying on the Island of Manhates where Tonis Cray his next adjoining beginning at the little brook called the old wreck (Tou de wrack) till to Claes Seybrantsen de Veringh's stretching along the East river in its breadth North East and South West and from the river into the Woods till to the foot path North West and South East containing in breadth along the beach three hundred paces of three feet to a pace with the express conditions and terms that he the said PETER VAN DER LINDEN or his successors shall acknowledge their Excellencies the Managers aforesaid for the Masters and Patrons under the sovereignty of the High and Mighty Lords the States General and to their Director General and Council shall be conformed in all things, as good citizens are bound to be, Provided also that the said Peter Vander Linden shall submit to all such taxations and imports as by their Excellencies already shall have been appointed or hereafter may be appointed constituting over the same the aforesaid Peter Van der Linden or his successors in our stead in the real and actual possession of the aforesaid pece of land, giving unto him by these presents, full and irrevocable might and special permission the before described parcel of land to enter cultivate inhabit and use in like manner as he might do with other his patrimonial land and effects without our the Grantors in our said quality in the least any longer therein having reserving or saving any part action or control whatever but to the behoof as aforesaid, from this time forth and forever from all desisting abstaining and renouncing by these presents all ownership to the said piece of land promising this Transport firmly invioably and irrevocably to maintain fulfil and execute as in equity we are bound to do without fraud or deceit, Understanding by us and confirmed with our Seal Done at Fort Amsterdam in New Netherland the 2nd day of August 1640 was undersigned

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We, William Keift, Director General and the Councillor in Behalf of the High and Mighty Lords the States General of the United Netherlands, His Highness the Prince of Orange, and their excellencies the Managers of the Incorporated West India Company in New Netherland residing, by these presents do publish and declare that we in the year 1638 have granted unto Abraham Ryken a certain piece of land lying on Long Island over against Rinegaconck, where Gusbert Ryken lies on the one side and the Highway extending from the Kill (creek) into the woods East North East and West South West and Hans Hausen for the most part lies next to the said Highway, containing along the Creek Five Hundred paces: to which aforesaid parcel of land is added a third part of the Hay-marsh lying in the rear of the land of George Rapallye' and Guysbert Ryken, with the express condition that the said Abraham Ryken or his successor shall acknowledge their excellencies the managers aforesaid for their masters and Patrons under the Sovreignty of the High and Mighty Lords the States General, and to their Director General and Council here shall be conformed in all things as good citizens are in duty bound to be. Provided also that he the said Abraham Ryken shall furthermore submit it to all such taxations and imposts as by their excellencies have already been appointed or hereafter may be appointed—Constituting over the same the aforesaid Abraham Ryken or his successors in our stead in the real and actual possessions of the aforesaid piece

of land and meadows, (valey,) giving them by these presents full and irrevocable might, authority and special permission the above described parcel of land to enter, cultivate, inhabit and use in like manner as he might do with his patrimonial lands and effects, (Without our the Grantors in the quality aforesaid in the least having, reserving or saving thereto any part, action or control whatever, but to behoof as aforesaid. From all therefor desisting and forever abstaining and renouncing by these presents all ownership over the aforesaid piece of land; Promising moreover this their Transport firmly, inviolably and irrevocably to maintain, fulfil and execute in equity as we are bound to do, without fraud or deceit, these presents are by us undersigned and confirmed with our Seal. Done in Fort Amsterdam in New Netherland this 8th day of August, A. D. 1640, in the Fort Amsterdam was undersigned.

We, William Kieft, Director General, and the Councillors in behalf of the High and Mighty Lords the States General of the United Netherlands, and His Highness the Prince of Orange and their Excellencies the Managers of the Incorporated West India Company in New Netherland residing, do by these presents publish and declare that We on this day, the date underwritten, have granted unto Peter Mountfort a certain pece of land lying on Long Island extending from Jan Mountfoort's to Pieter Italiaen's, (the Italian's,) in breadth three hundred paces, with the same breadth straight into the woods, with the express condition and terms that he the said Pieter Mountfoort, or his successors their Excellencies the Managers aforesaid, shall acknowledge as their Masters and patroons, under the soverignty of the High and Mighty Lords the States General, and to their Director General and Council here shall be conformed in all things, as good citizens are in duty bound to be, Provided moreover that he the said Pieter Mountfoort shall submit to all such burdens and imposts as by their excellencies have already been appointed or may hereafter be appointed; constituting over the same the said Pieter Mountfoort, or his successors in our stead in the real and actual possession of the aforesaid piece of land, giving him by these presents full and irrevocable might, authority and special permission the above described parcel of land to enter, cultivate, inhabit and use in like manner as he has a right to do with other his patrimonial lands and effects, Without our the Grantors in our said quality any longer thereto in the least having, reserving or saving any part, action or controul whatever but to the behoof as aforesaid; from this time forth and forever desisting, abstaining and renouncing by these presents all ownership of the aforesaid peice of land. Promising more this transport firmly, inviolably and irrevocably to maintain and execute as in equity we are bound to do without fraud or deceit, these presents are by us undersigned and confirmed with our Seal. Done at Fort Amsterdam in New Netherland this 29th May, A. D. 1641.

We, William Kieft, Director General, and the Councillors in behalf of the High and Mighty Lords the States General of the United Netherlands, his Highness of Orange and their excellencies the Managers of the West India Company in New Netherland residing, do by these presents publish and declare that We on this day, the date underwritten, have granted to Jan Mountfoort a certain piece of land lying on Long Island next to Reneka Roouck, Easterly and Westerly next to Pieter Mountfoort's land, extending in the breadth three hundred and fifty paces, and so straight into the woods, with the express condition and tearms that he the aforesaid Jan Mountfort or his successors shall acknowledge their excellencies the managers aforesaid as their Lords and patroons under the soverignty of the High

and Mighty Lords the States General, and to the Director General and Council Here shall in all things be confirmed, as good citizens are in duty bound to be, provided also that the said Jan Mountfoort shall furthermore submit to all such burdens and imposts as by their Excellencies already have been appointed or hereafter may yet be appointed, Constituting over the same the said Jan Mountfoort or his successor in our stead in the real and actual possession of the aforesaid piece of land, giving him by these presents full and irrevocable might, authority and special permission the aforesaid parcel of land to enter, cultivate, inhabit and use in like manner as he has a right to with other his patrimonial land and effects, Without our the Grantors any longer in our quality aforesaid having, reserving or saveing any part, action or controul whatever but to the behoof as aforesaid, from all desisting, abstaining and forevermore renouncing by these presents all ownership of the aforesaid piece of land. Promising moreover this transport firmly, inviolably and irrevocably to maintain, fulfil and execute as in equity we are bound to do without fraud or deceit, these presents are undersigned by us and confirmed with our Seal. Done at Fort Amsterdam in New Netherland, this 29th May, 1641.

We, William Kieft, Director General, and the Councillors in behalf of the High and Mighty Lords the States General of the United Netherlands, His Higness of Orange and their excellencies the Managers of the Incorporated West India Company, residing in New Netherland, do by these presents publish and declare to George Bacxter and N. N. at Hartford—in Company granted a certain pece of land lying on the Island of Manhates, extending breadth betwxt the two creeks where the water is running over the stones and the tree lies over the creek, and this with the same breadth betwixt the two Creeks into the woods, with the express condition that he George Bacxter or his successors, their excellencies the managers aforesaid, shall acknowledge as their Lords and patrons under the soverignty of the High and Mighty Lords the States General, and to their Director and Council here shall in all things be confirmed as all good citizens are in duty bound to be. Provided also that he the said George Bacxter and Company furthermore shall submit to all such burdens and imposts as by their excellencies already have been appointed or hereafter may be appointed, Constituting over the same the said Bacxter at Hartford or their successors in our stead in the real and actual possession of the aforesaid piece of land, giving him by these presents full and irrevocable might, authority and special permission the described parcel of land to enter, cultivate, inhabit and use in like manner as he has the right to do with other his patrimonial lands and effects, without our the Grantors any longer in our aforesaid quality having, reserving or saving therein any part, action or controul whatever but to the behoof as aforesaid: From All desisting and forever abstaining, and by these presents renouncing forever all ownership of the aforesaid piece of land. Promising moreover this transport firmly, inviolably and irrevocably to maintain, fulfill and execute, as in equity we are bound to do; without fraud or deceit these presents are by us undersigned and with our seal confirmed. Done the 20th August, 1641.

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Cornelis Van Tienk, *Sec'y.*

Mar 6. 1775.

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Mount Vernon Mar 6th 1775.

D Sir,

Mr Pickhugh delivered me your favr of the 13th Ult. on Tuesday last - but as I received it on the Road, I could not answer it by him, & wish it was in my power to do it satisfactorily now — So far am I from having £200 to lend, that, involved as I am with one expence and another particularly in a very heavy charge of seating my Lands over the Alligany Mountains in order to comply with the conditions of the Grant, I would gladly borrow that sum myself for a few Months, so exceeding difficult do I find it, under the present scarcity of Cash to collect enough to answer this emergency & at the same time comply with my other engagements — This information you may safely rely on as a fact from D Sir Yr Most Obed Servt

G. Washington

To —

Mr. Jno. Washington
near Leeds in
Kent George

ALEXANDRIA
Mar 6

LIST OF THE OFFICERS

OF THE

MILITIA OF THE PROVINCE OF NEW YORKE, 1700.

[Lond. Doc. XIII.]

A table of the Number of the severall Regiments in ye Province of New York.

County of Suffolk	614
Queen's County	601
King's County	280
Richmond County 2 Compas	152
City & County of New York	684
County of West Chester	155
Ulster and Dutchess County	325
City & County of Albany	371
Totall	3182 men

Province of New York

List of ye present officers of ye Militia in his Matys Province of New York in America commissionated by his Excel. Richd Earle of Bellomont, Capt Generall & Govr in Chief in & over his Matys said Province &c. viz[t]

Of ye Regiment of Militia of ye County of Suffolk on ye Island Nassaw

Isaac Arnold	Colonel	Field Officers
Henry Pierson	Lieut Col	
Matthew Howel	Majr	

The several Compas in ye said Regimt

The Foot Compa in the town of Brookhaven

Sam. Smith	Captain	Comon Officers
Richd Floyd	Lieut	
Joseph Tucker	Ensigne	

Of the Foot Compa in ye town of Huntington

Thos Wicks	Capt	C. O.
Jon Woods	Lieut	
Epenetus Plat	Lieut	

Of ye Foot Compa in ye town of Southampton

Abra. Howell	Capt	C. O.
Joseph Fordham	Lieut	
Isaac Halsey	Ensigne	

Of another Compa in ye said Town

.....	Capt.	C. O.
Jon Lupton	Lieut.	
Joseph Moore	Ensigne.	

Of another Compa in ye said Town

Tho. Stephens.....Capt.
Joseph Pierson.....Lieut. } C. O.
Jerem. Scot.....Ensigne.

Of ye Foot Compa in ye Town of Southold

Tho Young.....Capt.
Sam. Glover.....Lieut. } C. O.
Rich. Brown.....Ensigne.

Of another Foot Compa in ye said Town

Jonathan Harlon Capt ——— Griffin Lieut
——— Emens Ensign

Of another Foot Compa in ye said Town

Thos Mapas Capt Joshua Harlow Lieut
Jon Booth Ensigne.

Of another Foot Compa in ye town of East Hampton

——— Capt ; ——— Lieut ; ——— Ensigne ;

Of another Foot Compa in ye said Town

John Wheeler Capt, Enoch Fitchen Lieut,
Corn. Conchling Ensigne

This Regiment consists of six hundred and fourteen men

Of the Regimt of Militia in Queens County on ye said Island

John Jackson.....Colonel / Lieut Col / Majr } Field Officers

Of the Foot compa in the town of Jamaica

Hope Carpenter.....Capt.
Benja Thurston.....Leiut. } Comon Officers
Richd Oldfield.....Ensigne

Of another Foot Compa in ye said Town

Sam. Carpenter.....Capt.
Joseph Smith.....Leiut. } C. O.
Dan. Smith.....Ensigne.

Of the Foot Compa in ye town of New Town

Content Titus.....Capt.
Sam. Kecham.....Lieut. } C. O.
Sam. Morrell.....Ensigne

Of another Foot Compa in ye said Town

Robt Coe.....Capt.
Jon Berian.....Leiut. } C. O.
Jonathan Coe.....Ensigne.

Of the Foot Compa in ye Town of Hampstead

Jerem. Smith.....Capt.
Richd Hubbs.....Leiut.
Isaac Smith.....Ensigne,

Of another Foot Compa in ye said Town

Joseph Smith.....Capt.
.....Leiut.
Thos Gildersleive.....Ensigne.

Of another Foot Compa in ye said Town

Tho. Tredwell.....Capt,
Jon. Pine.....Leiut,
Jon Forster.....Ensigne,

Of the Foot Compa in ye Town of Flushing
Robert Hinchman.....Capt,
—— Harrington.....Leiut,
Daniel Wright.....Ensigne,

Of the Foot Compa in ye town of Oysterbay
Robt Coles.....Capt,
Josia Latten.....Leiut
Nath: Coles Junr. .....Ensigne

Of the Troope of Horse in ye said Regimt
John Lawrence.....Capt.
Jonath: Smith.....Leiut.
Daniel Lawrence.....Cornet
Jon Finne.....Quartermaster

The Regiment consists of six hundred & one men,

Of the Regiment of Militia in King's County on ye said Island.
Stephen Cortlandt.....Colonel
Gerrardus Beekman.....Lieut Col. } Feild Officers
Corn: Van Brunt.....Majr

Of the Foot Compa in the town of Amersfort,
Jon Terhermon.....Capt,
Peter Mansford.....Leiut,
Corn Van Voorhuyen.....Ensigne.

Of the Foot Compa in ye Town of Gravesend.
John Lake.....Capt,
Chr: Bemoyn.....Leiut,
Albert Coerten.....Ensigne,

Of the Foot Compa in the town of Brookland,
Joris Hansen.....Capt,
Daniel Repalie.....Leiut,
Teunis Repalie.....Ensigne.

Of the Foot Compa in ye town of New Uytregt.
John Van Dyke.....Capt.
Joost Van Brunt.....Leiut.
Matys Smake.....Ensigne.

Of the Foot Compa in ye town of Midwout
Arie Van de Bilt.....Capt,
Symon Hansen.....Leiut,
Isaac Hegeman.....Ensigne.

Of the Foot Compa in ye town of Boswick
Peter Pra.....Capt,
Michill Parmyter.....Leiut,
Jochem Vouchnewen.....Ensigne.

Of the Troop of Horse in ye said Regiment
Dan. Polhemius.....Capt.
Roeloft Verkirk.....Leiut,
Jerominus Remse.....Cornet
Gysbert Bayard.....Quarter Master

This Regiment consists of two hundred & eighty men.

Of the Militia in the County of Richmond.
Of the Foot Compa in the said County
Tho. Stilwell.....Capt,
Tho. Morgane }
Nice Teunisse } .....Leiutsa

Of another Compe in ye said County

Andrew Carmon ..... Capt
John Stilwell } ..... Leiuts
Jaque Poilton }

The said two Compas in the said County consists of one hundred and fifty two men.

Of the Regimt of Militia in ye City & County of New York

Abra : De Peyster ..... Colonel
Wm Mervet ..... Leiut Col. } Field Officers
Jon Henry De Bruyn ..... Majr

Of a Foot Compa in ye said City

Robt. Walters ..... Capt,
Andrew Teller ..... Leiut } Comon Officers
Jon Hardinbrooke ..... Ensigne,

Of another Foot Compa in ye said City

David Provost ..... Capt,
Wm Churcher ..... Leiut, } C. O.
Absa : Brasier ..... Ensigne,

Of one other Foot Compa in ye said City.

Leonard Lewis ..... Capt,
Jacob Vander Speigle ..... Leiut, } C. O.
Isaac Governeur ..... Ensigne,

Of one other Troop Compa in ye said City.

Isaac De Keimer ..... Capt
Steph Richards ..... Leiut
Nicho. Blank, ... Ensigne

Of one other Foot Compa in ye said Citty

Cornelius De Peyster ..... Capt,
Roger Baker ..... Leiut
Corn : Lodge ..... Ensigne

Of one other Foot Compa in ye said Citty

John Theobalds ..... Capt
Peter de Melt ..... Leiut
Isaac Brasier ..... Ensigne

Of another Foot Compa in ye said Citty

Evert Byvanck ..... Capt,
John Vander Speigel ..... Leiut,
Jon Tiebout ..... Ensigne.

Of one other Foot Compa in ye said City

Martin Clock ..... Capt,
Tho Fornuier ..... Leiut,
Hend : Breevort ..... Ensigne,

Of the Troop of Horse in ye said Regimt

John De Peyster Capt, Jon Outman Cornet
Jon Hoghland Leuit, Evert Van deWater Quarter master

This Regiment consists of six hundred & eighty five men.

Of the Regiment of Militia in ye County of West Chester.

..... Colonel
..... Lieut. Col. } Field Officers
Augt Graham ..... Majr

Of a Foot Compª in the town of East Chester.

John Drake.....Capt, } C. O.
Joseph Drake.....Leiut, }
Henry Tower.....Ensigne }

Of a Foot Compª in yᵉ town of New Rochell,

Oliver Besley.....Capt,
Isaac Merier.....Leiut,
Pierre Vasleau.....Ensigne

Of a Foot Compª in yᵉ town of Mamarioneck

James Mott.....Captain
Robert Lauting.....Leiut,
Thᵒ : Ives.....Ensigne

This Regiment consists of one hundred fifty five men.

Of the Regiment of Militia in yᵉ Counties of Ulster & Dutchess.

.....Colonel }
Jacob Rutsen.....Lieut Col. } Field Officers
.....Majr }

Of a Foot Compª in yᵉ said Countys.

Matthias Mattyson.....Captain }
Evert Bogardus.....Leiut. } Comᵒⁿ Officers
Tennis Tappen.....Ensigne, }

Of an other Foot Compª in yᵉ sd Countys.

Absᵒ : Hasbrooke.....Captain
Moses Quantain.....Leiut.
Lewis Bavea.....Ensigne.

Of an other Foot Compª in yᵉ said Countys.

George Middagh.....Capt,
Gysbert Kroom.....Leiut,
Alex. Rosebrans.....Ensigne.

Of another Foot Compª in yᵉ said Countys,

Aria Rose.....Captain
John Rose.....Leiut.
Aria Gerrutse.....Ensigne

Of another Foot Compª in yᵉ said Countys.

Jocham Schoonmaker.....Captain
John Van Camp.....Leiut
Jacob Decker.....Ensigne

Of another Foot Compª in yᵉ said Countys

Coenrod Elmendorp.....Captain
Mattyse Sleight.....Leiut
Garret Wyncoop.....Ensigne

Of another Foot Compᵉ in yᵉ said Countys

Baltus Van Cleet.....Captain
Hendrick Kipp.....Leiut
John Ter Bus.....Ensigne

Of the Troop of Horse in yᵉ said Regiment

Egbert Schoonmaker Captain Abra : Gasbert Cornet
Corn : Decker Leiut. Mattyse Jansen Quartermaster

This Regiment consists of Three huudred five & twenty men.

Of the Regiment of Militia in yᵉ City and County of Albany.

Peter Schuyler.....Colonel }
.....Lieut. Col } Field Officers
Dyrck Wessells.....Majr }

Of a Foot Company in the city of Albany

Johannes Bleeker.....Captain
Johannes Roseboome.....Leiut } Comⁿ Officers
Abra : Cuyler.....Ensigne

Of another Foot Compᵃ in yᵉ said city

Albert Rykman.....Captain
Wessel ten Broek.....Leiut.
Johannes Thomasse.....Ensigne.

Of another Foot Compᵃ in the said County

Martin Cornelisse.....Captain
Andris Douw.....Leuit.
Andris Koyman.....Ensigne.

Of another Foot Compᵃ in the said County

Gerrit Teunisse.....Captain
Jonas Douw, Jochem Lamerse.....Leiutˢ
Volckart V. Hoesem, Abra : Hanse.....Ensignes

Of a Foot Compᵃ in yᵉ town of Schenectady

Johannes Sanderse Glen.....Captain
Adam Woman [Vrooman ?].....Leiut.
Harman V. Slyke.....Ensigne.

Of the Troope of Horse in yᵉ said Regiment

Killian van Renslaer.....Captain
Johannes Schuyler.....Leiut.
Bennone V. Corlaer.....Cornet
Anthony Bries.....Quartermaster

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